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From Yesterday's Evening Edition.

ATLANTA. DECEMBER 24, 1873.

Noon Telegraph.

We have to go to press with but a part of our noon telegrams. The wires are down and the news stopped coming.

BY TELEGRAPH

TO THE ATLANTA CONSTITUTION

TUESDAY NOON NEWS.

THE VIRGINIUS SURVIVORS.

THE SPANIARDS DELUDE THEM WITH THE IDEA OF DEATH, FORCE CONFESSIONS, AND TREAT THEM BARBAROUSLY.

KEY WEST, December 23.—A special says that the survivors of the Virginius were kept in ignorance of their fate, and were visited by bogus priests who exacted dying confessions. They thought they were going to death, and, upon the confession of these poor wretches, it is said the Attorney General, Williams, founded his opinion that the Virginius had no right to bear American colors. The poor fellows supposed they were going to the slaughter house, but the presence of the Juniata and surrender to her officers led to the most extraordinary emotional demonstrations.

On the arrival of the Penta at Santiago orders came to the ship from Commander Braine for the paymaster to issue all the blankets and pea jackets in his department to prisoners who were hardly fit to be seen in their rags. This was speedily done, but as there was still great destitution, orders come for every man on board to give their own blankets and wearing apparel in the good cause, the promise being made that all would be replaced on the arrival of the ship at Key West.

The officers and men cheerfully complied with this order, only preferring that it should be issued as a request, in which case they would have obeyed with just as much alacrity. Every heart was touched by the pitiable condition of the prisoners. The poor fellows report that they were barbarously treated. They say that when the officers from the Tornado boarded the Virginius, one of them, on hauling down the flag of the United States, tore it into ribbons and trampled on it, asserting, with an oath, that "this is what I have wanted."

The situation in Santiago de Cuba is reported still very serious. A large majority of the population is in sympathy with the Cuban cause, but volunteers control everything with a high hand.

Only a week ago twenty-five citizens of Santiago were arrested and after the the mock trial had been gone through with. Without any evidence being adduced against them they were told to go home. On the way they were cruelly waylaid and killed, only one escaping. He was riddled with bullets and dangerously wounded. Americans are continually in fear for fear their lives and bitterly complain that nothing has been done to redress their wrongs. It is not safe for American officers to go ashore alone at Santiago.

The Spaniards are erecting new batteries all along the river line.

KEY WEST, December 23.—The Powhatan will leave for Norfolk to-night.

Wyoming was inspected to-day.

AGASSIZ' DAUGHTER-IN-LAW DEAD.

BOSTON December 23.—The wife of Alexander Agassiz, son of the late Professor, died last night of pneumonia, superinduced by fatigue in her attendance on her father-in-law during his illness. Mrs. Agassiz was daughter of the late G. R. Russell.

SCRAPS.

LONDON, December 23.—There is no truth in the report that British war ships in the West Indies have been ordered to assemble in Cuban waters.

PARIS, December 23.—Rumors are current that Bazaine has fled from the country. It is also reported that Rochefort has died at a penal settlement in New Caledonia.

THE VILLE DE HAVRE.

What a Feminine Journalist Who Crossed the Ocean in it Says About the Old Hulk.

Mrs. Burnham's letter to the St. Louis Republican.]

As I write this letter the news goes through the land that the Ville de Havre lies at the bottom of the sea. The awful disaster must chill every heart, but it comes home to me with doubly dreadful import. I go back to the nights when that dismal old boat would of a sudden stand still and shiver and shake like a paralytic, when all hands and the cook scampered from stem to stern, to learn the locality of the last trouble. I left this boat a devoutful, thankful, but somewhat disappointed woman. I counted on her going to the bottom that trip. The gorgeous old hulk was fixed up with the bloom of youth and patent stays and new machinery, but was old when she went into line. She was an old sidewheel steamer, which had borne the name of Napoleon III. (Queer name for an old girl.) She outraged all the laws of naval architecture, and I always supposed ships, like bridges, must be symmetrical in shape to be safe. Here was a ship originally of good length, to which was attached sixty feet of gilded saloon.

It was tacked or stuck on some way, and was the entire width of the vessel, with not a single brace anywhere to be seen. Panelled beautifully with white marble slabs, veined with gold, at a little distance they had the cheerful look of grave-stones, and it took very little imagination to read first class obituary notices on all of them. That whole saloon always seemed to me a sort of porcelain lined iron dinner pot. Very lucky for me it is that the Ville de Havre didn't meet a floating clothes pole last August. I shouldn't be on dry land to-day, thinking sadly of those poor creatures who perished on the morning of the 15th of November.

As a prophetess I am a success, and I mean to write to my paternal progenitor to-night and learn if there is any seventh daughter about me. I predicted a prediction that that vile old boat would never see the year 1874 afloat, and lo! she is gone. Never again through her gilded saloon will ring the Anglo-French cry, "Ding dong, *garcon*, cat lemonade!"

There is a terrible lesson to be learned from the loss of the Ville du Havre, if the actual facts are ever known, for there was frightful economy shown in its management and criminal recklessness in ever putting her on the line. When I came over they had the disabled state of the screw, and took her back to be repaired in France, with one entire fan gone and part of another missing, because repairs cost so much less there than here. They saved forty dollars on a trip by using a filthy yellow fat on the machinery instead of decent oil, and the smell of the vile compound stewing on the engines must have done much to reconcile the passengers to shipwreck. A paper here expresses astonishment that an electric light was not used. Why, the last I knew of the dastardly economy of the French line they were negotiating with a red headed Gaul, thinking he would prove a cheaper substitute for a head-light than the feeble lantern in use. Catch them increasing their expenses one hundred dollars a day for an electric light.

I scuttled the ship in half a dozen places with hair-pins and paper cutters. I tell the unexaggerated truth when I say that, lying on the sofa in stateroom, No. 50, I dug into the punky wood, two or three inches away from the port hole, with a paper knife, till I struck the glazing of iron that formed the outer coat. That iron plating was nowhere thicker than a frying pan, and a determined little pilot boat, with a shingle nail at the prow, could have cut through us and got out the other side, if it didn't run into the cook or captain en route. When the Loch Earn gets into port people will rush down to see the fearful agent of destruction. She will possess no such importance for me. I know how easy she did it, for I know what a crazy old shell the Villa de Havre was.

Financial and Commercial

Telegraph Market Reports.

NEW YORK, December 23.—Cotton quiet; sales 1,071; uplands 15 7-8; Orleans 16 1-4

Futures opened as follows: January 15 1-16a15 3-16; February 15 9-16a15 15-16; March 16 1 16a16 3 8; April 16 9-16.

Flour quiet and steady. Wheat advancing. Corn a shade firmer. Pork quiet; mess $16. Lard firm; steam 8 5-8a8 11-16. Turpentine weak at 41 1-2. Rosin steady at $2 50a2 55 for strained.

Gold opened at 10 3-8, closed quiet at 10. Money 7. Exchange—long 8½; short 9½. Governments dull and lower. State bonds quiet.

Arrived out—Olympus, Donan.

LIVERPOOL, December 23.—Noon—Cotton tends down; uplands 8 1-8; Orleans 8 1-8a8 5-8; sales 10,000 bales; speculations and exports 2,000; arrivals 1-16 cheaper; uplands nothing below good ordinary shipped in November 8 1-16; ditto delivered in December and January 8; ditto nothing below low middlings shipped in November and December 8 1-6.

LATER—Sales include 5,700 American.

Orleans nothing below good ordinary shipped in December and January 8 1 4.

Breadstuffs firm. Red western spring wheat 12s 1da12s 8d. Corn 37s 3d. Pork 61s.

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LONDON, December 23.—Fives 91 5-8. Weather thoughout England is fair.

FRANKFORT, December 23.—Bonds 97 1-2.

MARKET REPORTS OF THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, ATLANTA, December 23, 1873.

Cotton quiet at 13 1-4 cents.
Corn—85.
Wheat—white $1 75a2 00; amber $1 75a1 90; red $1 75a1 80.
Oats—mixd 65c; seed 75c.
Rye—seed $1 25a1 35.
Barley seed, none in market.
Corn Meal 85.
Grits—$6 25 per barrel.
Flour—Super $5 50a7 00; extra $7 00a8 00 family $8 50 9 00; extra family $9 50a10 00; fancy $11 00a11 50
Hay—Timothy $1 50a1 75. Clover $1 25 a1 50.
Coal—car, 32a35.
Lime—40a50c
Cement—$3 25a3 50.
Bacon—Clear sides 9; clear rib sides 8½ shoulders 7½; sugar cured hams 12½a13.
Bulk—Dry salt clear sides 9; clear rib sides 8 3-4 Green meats—Clear sides 8¼a8½ clear rib sides 8a8½.
long clear none in market.
Lard—Steam tierces 10½; kegs 11; cans 11; buckets 11a11 1-2.
Sheeting, etc—4-4 brown sheeting 11; 7-8 brown shirting 9 1-2; 3-4 brown shirting 7 1 2
Cotton yarn $1 40.
Coffee—Rio 29a31c: LaGuyra 28a30c; Java 40a45c; Mocha 37 1-2a40c.
Sugar—A 12; extra C 11 1-2; Demerara 12a12 1-2.
Iron Ties—9 1-2c per lb.
Bagging—2 lbs. 14 1-2. 2 1-8 lbs. 15; 2 1-4 lbs. 15 1 2. Gunny 12 1-2.
Candles—19 1-2a20 per lb.
Cheese—16a18 per lb.
Hogs—Dressed 7c; gross 5 3 4a6.
Beef Cattle—3a3 3 4

U. S. Marshal's Sale

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF FIERI FACIAS, issued out of the Honorable, the District Court of the United States, for the Northern District of Georgia, in favor of the plaintiffs, in the following case, to-wit:

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JOHN H. WIKLE, Assignee,
nov26-dlaw3w Cartersville, Ga.

Martin Rennow, vs Edmond Wright } Motion to establish Lost Deed.

IT appearing to the Court by the return of the Sheriff of Dade County that the defendant in this motion is not to be found in said county, and it further appearing that said defendant is beyond the State of Georgia—

It is therefore ordered by the Court that service of this motion be perfected by publication in terms of the law, September Term, 1873.
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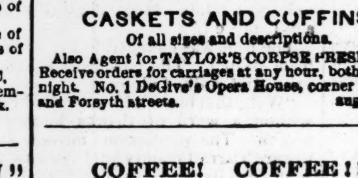

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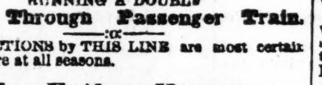

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RAILROAD SCHEDULE.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF ALL TRAINS.

Air-Line Railroad.

DAILY PASSENGER TRAIN.

Leave Atlanta	6 00 P M
Arrive at Charlotte	8 05 A M
Leave Charlotte	6 48 P M
Arrive at Atlanta	8 39 P M

ACCOMMODATION TRAIN.

Leave Atlanta	5 24 A M
Arrive at Charlotte	7 27 A M
Leave Charlotte	8 14 A M
Arrive at Atlanta	11 48 A M

Georgia Railroad.

DAY PASSENGER TRAIN.

Leaves Augusta	8.40 o'clock, A. M
Leaves Atlanta	6 30 " A. M
Arrives at Atlanta	5.45 " P. M
Arrives at Augusta	3.45 " P. M

NIGHT PASSENGER TRAIN.

Leaves Augusta	8.15 " P. M
Leaves Atlanta	6.00 " P. M
Arrives at Atlanta	6.15 " A. M
Arrives at Augusta	4 00 " A. M

Accommodation Train.

Leaves Atlanta	5 00 P. M
Leaves Stone Mountain	6 30 A. M
Arrives Atlanta	8 00 A. M
Arrives Stone Mountain	6 15 P. M

Western and Atlantic Railroad.

DAY PASSENGER TRAIN—OUTWARD.

Leaves Atlanta	8:30 A. M
Arrives at Chattanooga	4:38 P. M

NIGHT PASSENGER TRAIN—OUTWARD.

Leaves Atlanta	9:30 A M
Arrives at Chattanooga	4:30 A M
Leaves Chattanooga	3:45 P. M
Arrives at Atlanta	11:15 P. M

DAY PASSENGER TRAIN—INWARD.

Arrives at Atlanta	1:10 P. M

KINGSTON ACCOMMODATION TRAIN.

Leaves Atlanta	6:00 P. M
Arrives at Kingston	9:15 P. M
Leaves Kingston	5:30 A. M
Arrives in Atlanta	9:45 A M

Atlanta and West Point Railroad.

DAY PASSENGER TRAIN.

Leaves Atlanta	1 30 P M
Leaves West Point	1 40 P M
Arrives at Atlanta	5 42 P M
Arrives at West-Point	5 47 P M

Macon and Western Railroad.

DAILY ACCOMMODATION EXCEPT SUNDAYS

Leaves Atlanta	7:00 A M
Arrives at Macon	3:40 P M
Leaves Macon	9:10 A M
Arrives at Atlanta	5:48 P M

MAIL AND PASSENGER—DAILY.

Leaves Atlanta	1:00 A M
Arrives at Macon	6 50 P M
Leaves Macon	7:30 P M
Arrives at Atlanta	1:40 A M

PORT ROYAL RAILROAD.

JUNE 28TH, 1873.

ON and after MONDAY, JUNE 30, trains on this Road will run as follows:

Down Day Passenger Train

Will leave Augusta at	6 45 A M
Arrive at Port Royal	2 15 P M
Arrive at Charleston	4 45 P M
Arrive at Savannah	3 30 P M

Up Day Passenger Train

Will leave Port Royal at	9 45 A M
Leave Charleston at	8 10 A M
Leave Savannah at	9 00 A M
Arrive at Augusta	5 35 P M

Down Night Passenger Train

Will leave Augusta at	2 10 P M
Arrive at Port Royal at	11 35 P M
Arrive at Charleston at	5 00 A M
Arrive at Savannah at	12 30 P

Up Night Passenger Train

Will leave Port Royal at	10
Leave Charleston at	6 1 M
Leave Savannah at	9 30 P M
Arrive at Augusta	6 30 A M

Passengers leaving Atlanta by the 6 00 P M train on the Georgia Railroad arrive at Augusta in time to make close connection with down night passenger train on this road for Port Royal and Savannah.
JAS. C. MOORE, Engineer and Superintendent.
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POSTPONEMENT

Fourth Grand Gift Concert
FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE
Public Library of Kentucky.

OVER A MILLION IN BANK ! !
Success Assured!
A Full Drawing Certain
On Tuesday, 31st March. Next.

IN order to meet the general wish and expectation of the public and the ticket holders for the full payment of the magnificent gifts announced for the Fourth Grand Gift Concert of the Public Library of Kentucky, the management have determined to postpone the Concert and Drawing until

TUESDAY, the 31st of March, 1874.

They have already realised

OVER A MILLION DOLLARS,

And have a great many agents yet to hear from.

No doubt is entertained of the sale of every ticket before the Drawing, but whether all are sold or not the Concert and Drawing will positively and unequivocally take place on the day now fixed, and if any remain unsold they will be cancelled and the prizes will be reduced in proportion to the unsold tickets.

Only 60,000 tickets have been issued and

12,000 Cash Gifts,
$1,500,000

will be distributed among the ticket holders.

The tickets are printed in coupons of tenths, and all fractional parts will be represented in the drawing just as whole tickets are.

LIST OF GIFTS.

ONE GRAND CASH GIFT	$250,000
ONE GRAND CASH GIFT	100,000
ONE GRAND CASH GIFT	50,000
ONE GRAND CASH GIFT	25,000
ONE GRAND CASH GIFT	17,500
10 CASH GIFTS $10,000 each	100,000
30 CASH GIFTS 5,000 each	150,000
50 CASH GIFTS 1,000 each	50,000
80 CASH GIFTS 500 each	40,000
100 CASH GIFTS 400 each	40,000
150 CASH GIFTS 300 each	45,000
250 CASH GIFTS 200 each	50,000
325 CASH GIFTS 100 each	32,500
11,000 CASH GIFTS 50 each	550,000

TOTAL, 12,000 GIFTS, ALL CASH, amounting to..........$1,500,000

The chances for a gift are one to five.

PRICE OF TICKETS.

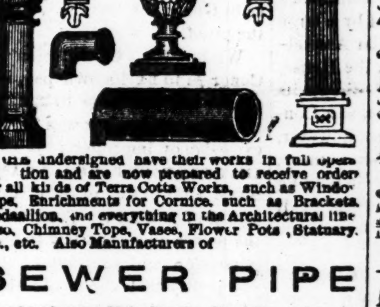
Whole tickets $50 00; Halves $25 00; Tenths, or each coupon $5 00; Eleven Whole Tickets for $500 00; 22½ Tickets for $1,000 00; 113 Whole Tickets for $5,000 00; 227 Whole Tickets for $10,000 00. No discount on less than $500 00 worth of Tickets.

The Fourth Gift Concert will be conducted, in all respects, like the three which have already been given, and full particulars may be learned from circulars which will be sent free from this office to all who apply for them.

Orders for tickets and applications for agencies, will be attended to in the Order they are received, and it is hoped they will be sent in promptly that there may be no disappointment or delay in filling all. Liberal terms given to those who buy to sell again. All Agents are peremptorily required to settle up their accounts and return all unsold tickets by the 20th day of March.

THOS. E. BRAMLETTE,
Agent Publ. Libr. Ky and Manager Gift Concert, Public Library Building, Louisville, Ky.
dec 13-d mon & thurs w eow

SOUTHERN TERRA COTTA WORKS.



THE undersigned have their works in full operation and are now prepared to receive orders for all kinds of Terra Cotta Works, such as Window Caps, Enrichments for Cornice, such as Brackets, Medallion, and everything in the Architectural line. Also, Chimney Tops, Vases, Flower Pots, Statuary, etc., etc. Also Manufacturers of

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from 3 inches to 30 inches in diameter. Also, interior decoration, such as

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We will guarantee all the work that we undertake to execute to give entire satisfaction.
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TWENTIETH
GRAND ANNUAL DISTRIBUTION,

TO BE DRAWN THURSDAY, JANUARY 1st, 1874.

$200,000 00
IN VALUABLE GIFTS!

GRAND CAPITAL PRIZE,
$20,000 in GREENBACKS.
ONE GRAND CASH PRIZE
$10,000 in GREENBACKS.
ONE CASH PRIZE OF
$5,000 in GREENBACKS.
ONE PRIZE $3,000 IN GREENBACKS!
Six Prizes $1,000 Each in Greenbacks!
Ten Prizes $500 Each in Greenbacks

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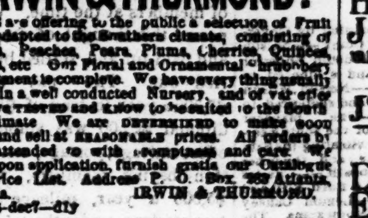

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NOTICE.

THE regular annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Citizens Bank of Georgia for the election of officers will be held on Tuesday, January 13th, 1874, at the Banking House in Republic Block, Atlanta, to tween the hours of 10 A M and 2 P M.
PERINO BROWN, Cashier.
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BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

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H. CARLTON & CO., REAL ESTATE AGENTS, Athens, Georgia. july23-d6mo

DR. & S. HILLYER, Resident Dentist. Office over Chamberlin & Boynton's, Whitehall street, Atlanta, Georgia. jan7-dtf

L. D. CARPENTER, DENTIST, NO. 47 WHITEHALL street, Atlanta, Ga. junel-dly

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DR. J. B. MURPHY, Resident Dentist. Office over Richards' Book Store, Alabama st. From a practical experience of thirty years, I feel confident that I can meet the wants of all who may need the services of a practical dentist. aug24-d6m

LAWYERS.

MATT. H. SANDWICH, Attorney at Law and Solicitor in Bankruptcy, Thomaston, Georgia, will practice in the Flint Circuit, and in the United States District Courts of Georgia. Office, in Chenney's building. sep14—d6mo

D. D. McCONNELL, ATTORNEY AT LAW, Acworth, Ga. Special attention given to Land Cases and its Wanderings in Cherokee, Ga. oct26-d3m

HAMILTON YANCEY, Attorney at Law, Rome, Georgia, practices in all the Courts. Prompt attention given to all business entrusted to his care. dec5—d6m

WM. D. TUTT. PAUL C. HUDSON.

TUTT & HUDSON, Attorneys at Law, Thomson, Georgia, will practice in the courts of McDuffie, Lincoln, Wilkes, Hancock, Warren, Glascock, Jefferson, Richmond and Columbia Counties. nov24-d3m

WARREN AKIN & SON, Attorneys at Law, Cartersville, Ga., WARREN AKEN, T WARREN AKIN. aug23-d1sm

JESSE M. GOSS, ATTORNEY AT LAW, will give prompt attention to all business entrusted to him. Office—Corner of Whitehall and Alabama streets, Atlanta, Ga. sept—d3mo

FRANK P. GRAY, Attorney at Law, Atlanta, Georgia, will give prompt attention to all business intrusted to his care. Office with Colonel L. E. Bleckley, corner Peachtree and Harris streets. aug27-1y

R. J. KIKER. J. A. KIKER.

KIKER & SON, ATTORNEYS AT LAW, Calhoun, Georgia, (office over Boaz & Brown's store), will practice in all the Courts of the Cherokee Circuit; Supreme Court of Georgia, and the United States District Court at Atlanta, Georgia. sep4— junel—dly

M. VAN ESTES, ATTORNEY AT LAW, Gainesville, Ga. Will practice in the counties of the Western Circuit, Supreme Court of the state, and in the District Court of the United States at Atlanta. july18-d3m

JASPER N. DORSEY, ATTORNEY AT LAW, Gainesville, Ga. Will practice in the counties of Hall, Forsyth, Dawson, Lumpkin, White, and in the Supreme Court and Federal Courts at Atlanta. Special attention given to bankruptcy cases. july18-dlam

ANDREW SLOAN, Attorney at Law, Savannah, Georgia, will practice in the Superior Court of Chatham county, and in the United States Courts of the Northern and Southern Districts of Georgia. Special attention to collections and bankrupt matters. june30-dly

LLOYD & GOODE, ATTORNEYS AT LAW, Montezuma, Georgia. Will practice in the Courts of the Southwestern Circuit and the Supreme Court and Circuit and District Courts of the United States. june10—dlyr

L. S. ROAN, ATTORNEY AT LAW, Fairburn, Georgia, will practice in the courts of the Tallapoosa Circuit. Special attention given to cases in bankruptcy and Collections. Remittances made promptly. june28-d6m

J. H. TURNER, Attorney at Law, Forsyth, Ga., will practice in the courts of the Flint Circuit, and also in the Supreme and Federal Courts at Atlanta. Special attention given to collections. july4-d6m

GEORGE N. LESTER. WM. S. THOMSON.

LESTER & THOMSON, ATTORNEYS AT LAW will give prompt attention to all business entrusted to them. Office in Kimball House, Atlanta, Ga. july18-d6m

E. G. SIMMONS, Attorney at Law, Thomaston, Georgia. nov19—d12m

JAMES C. BARTON, Attorney and Counsellor at Law and Real Estate Agent, Conyers, Ga., will practice in the Superior and Supreme Courts of Georgia. Office first door east of Court House Building, Decatur street. Special attention given to Collections. apr18—dly

FRANK S. LOFTIN, ATTORNEY AT LAW Franklin, Georgia, will practice in the counties of Carroll, Coweta, Douglass, Fayette, Heard, Merriwether and Troup, and also in the Supreme and Federal Courts at Atlanta. may15—dly

J. A. HUNT, Attorney at Law, Barnesville, Georgia, will practice in the counties comprising the Flint Circuit, in the Supreme Court of the State, and in the United States District Courts for the Northern and Southern Districts by special contract. apr17-1

RICHAT LeSUEUR. WARREN C. WINSLOW

LESUEUR & WINSLOW, ATTORNEYS AT LAW, Fort Valley, Georgia. Collections in Southwest Georgia a specialty. Real Estate Agents. july31—dly

JAS. A. HARLEY, Attorney and Counsellor at Law, Sparta, Georgia, will practice in the counties of Hancock, Elbert, Glasscock, Hart, Lincoln, Madison, Oglethorpe, Taliaferro, Warren, Wilkes, Baldwin, Greene, Washington and Columbia. apr13-dly

McDANIEL & WHITFIELD, Attorneys at Law Griffin, Ga. Will practice in Superior Courts of Flint Circuit, in Supreme Court of Georgia, and in United States District Court at Atlanta, and elsewhere by special contract. june7-dly

S. D. McCONNELL, Attorney at Law, office corner Whitehall and Hunter streets. Practices in all the Courts in Atlanta Circuit. junel-dly

J. C. FAIN, ATTORNEY AT LAW, CALHOUN, Ga., will practice in all the Courts of the Cherokee Circuit, Supreme Court of Georgia, and United States Court, at Atlanta, Ga. june4-dly

W. R. RANKIN, Attorney at Law, Calhoun, Georgia. Office—Front room over Boaz & Barrett's Store. may27-dly

EMORY SPEER, Lawyer, Athens, Georgia.—As solicitor General, will attend the Courts of Clarke, Jackson, Walton, Gwinnett, Hall, Banks, Franklin, Habersham, White, Rabun, and give attention to collections and other claims. mar16—dly

Z. D. HARRISON, Attorney at Law, will practice in the Superior Court of Fulton county, the Supreme Court of Georgia, and the United States District Court, at Atlanta. Office, No. 33, Capitol building. mar. 9-dly

JESSE S. THASHER, Attorney and Counselor at Law, Atlanta, Ga., will give strict attention to all business intrusted to his care. Remittances promptly made. dec1*d12

Business Directory of other Cities.

AUGUSTA, GA.

JOHN W. BESSMAN, Wholesale Dealer in Choice Liquors, and Agent for John Gibson's Son & Co., Philadelphia. 287 Broad street.

W. A. RAMSEY, Agent, The People's Clothier. 285 Broad street.

MYERS & MARCUS, Jobbers of Dry Goods, Notions, Boots and Shoes, Hats, Caps and Clothing. 274 Broad street.
J. MYERS. S. MARCUS.

CENTRAL HOTEL—MRS. THOMAS, Proprietress.

GREENE & ROSSIGNOL, Successors to Wm. H. Tutt, Importers and Dealers in Drugs, Chemicals, Essential Oils, Corks, Sponges, and Druggists' sundries, 264 Broad street.

CHARLESTON, S. C.

BANKS.

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WM. B. BURDEN, Cashier. A. S. JOHNSON, President.
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HARDWARE.

HART & CO., 39 Hayne street.
J. E. ADGER & CO., 139 Meeting street.

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JOHN S. FAIRLY & CO., 37 Hayne and ... Market street.

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D. F. FLEMING & CO., 2 Hayne street.
E. S. STODDARD & CO., 165 Meeting street.
T. M. BRISTOLL & CO., 161 Meeting street.

STOVES, TIN AND HOLLOW WARE, Etc.

WILLIAM SHEPHERD & CO., 29 Hayne street.

GROCERIES.

GEO. W. WILLIAMS & CO., ... and 3 Hayne street.
HENRY BISCHOFF & CO., 197 and 199 East Bay.

O. F. WIETERS, 181 East Bay.

STEFFENS, WERNER & DUCKER, 96 East Bay.

W. H. CHAFEE & CO., 65 and 207 East Bay.

WAGENER, HUGHES & CO., ... and 185 East Bay.

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DOWIE, MOISE & DAVIS, Importers and Wholesale Druggists, Meeting street, corner Hasel.

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C. BART & CO., 55, 57 and 59, Market street.
PAUL WELCH & CO., 215 East Bay.

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EDWIN BATES & CO., 134 Meeting street.
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JOHN F. REDDING, Attorney at Law, Barnesville Ga., will give strict attention to business entrusted to his care. my3-1y

MALCOLM H. JOHNSTON, (late of Georgia) Attorney at Law, No. 31, St. Paul street, Baltimore Md. Refers to Hon. Alex. H. Stephens, Crawfordsville, Ga.; Hon. Wm. Hope Hull and Wm. A. Walton Esq., Augusta, Ga.; Gen. A. R. Lawton, Savannah and Col. L. N. Whittle, Macon, Ga. apr13-d6m

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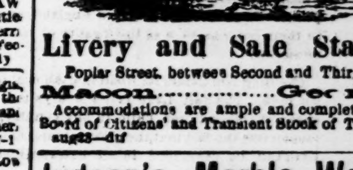

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WM. GRAY,

july24—dly

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DEFIES REFUTATION

To LAWYERS.—A full report of the decisions of the Supreme Court is furnished to THE CONSTITUTION by the Reporter of the Court.

To CORRESPONDENTS.—We do not read anonymous letters and communications. The name and address of the writer are indispensable. Rejected communications we can not undertake either to return or preserve.

ATLANTA:

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1873.

Brevities.

Day's length 9 hours and 41 minutes.

Faith in our own ability is half of every battle.

A blonde woman is considered a fright in Russia.

Rumor now has it that Gen. Jordan and Col. Aguero are now engaged in fitting out two expeditions to aid the Cubans.

A bachelor editor, who had a pretty unmarried sister, wrote to one similarly circumstanced, "Please exchange."

The churches of New York number 349, with seating capacity for 308,500 persons, and an estimated value of $41,0,0,000.

A Michigan manufacturer has 18,000 broom-handles ready for shipment. This ought to set husbands thinking about coming home early.

Mrs. Sigourney, who, with her three children, was lost on the Ville du Havre, was the eldest daughter of the late Hon. W. C. Rives, of Virginia.

Reykjavik, Ireland, is way ahead of Philadelphia, as the citizens of that city are going to hold a grand jollification in 1874, in honor of its thousandth anniversary.

Good fortune has overtaken Tennessee. The yellow fever has died out in Memphis and Andy Johnson announces his determination to retire from politics forever.

The hard times also affect the Indians. One horse will now purchase two Apache women, and the owner of the women will throw in a dog or two rather than spoil a trade.

Sashes of all kinds are now tied as flat to the figure as possible, the general desire appearing to be to do away with the old puffiness which has for a long time dis-figured costumes.

Three codfish, weighing six pounds each, were caught in the St. John's River, Florida, last week, the first of the kind ever caught in Southern waters. Competent judges pronounce them genuine codfish.

The expense of running railroads in Italy is enormous. Every ton of coal is bought in England, costing $10 (gold) per ton, and transported at an enormous cost to Italy.

A French gentleman, learning English to some purpose, replied thus to the salutations, "How do you do monsieur?" "Do vat?" "How do you find yourself?" "I never loses myself." "How do you feel?" "Smooth; you just feel me."

If your son parts his hair in the middle, do not be harsh with him, Do not shoot him. Instances are not wanting to show that young men addicted to such habits have grown up to be good and even intelligent men.

In the late Virginia State election General Kemper led the whole ticket by two hundred and sixty-five votes. The Whig says it is a curious fact that Kemper ran ahead of Withers in forty-two counties and cities, and Withers ahead of Kemper in forty-two.

The First Unitarian Church of Baltimore, has had for its pastor successively the following gentlemen: Rev's Furniss, Bellows, Sparks, Blazup, and Burnup. The pulpit is now vacant, and any gentleman who has a cognomen expressive of peculiar warmth, would do well to apply.

A correspondent of the New York World, writing from Florence says "Hiram Power's studio is still kept open, and the sculpture business is carried on by his son." This is almost equal to the remark of the English peasant to a tourist, who said, "Mister Wordsworth be dead, but his wife do carry on the poetry business."

The town records of Walpole, Massachusetts, are being thoroughly searched for a party who expects to find therein some evidence of a certain marriage which, if proven, will bring to the heirs a fortune of $106,000,000, now in the Bank of England, and subject to their order as soon as the legality of the claim can be shown.

The Bingham Canon Railroad in Utah cost only $141 per mile. The Salt Lake Tribune says that it is the cheapest railroad ever built in any country, and demonstrates the fact that the great mineral resources of Utah can be developed in an extraordinary short time, by reason of their ability to build railroads at a cost but little above that of an ordinary wagon road.

In China a pedestrian in the rural districts, after regaling himself with a choice fruit, and one suited to his taste, does not throw away the seed, but with care digs a small hole by the roadside and deposits the seed therein; the consequence of this is, that in China the most choice specimens of fruits are found growing by the roadside throughout the land. It is believed the same course is pursued in Spain, with like effects.

The Scientific American states that the first paten issued in the United States, of which there is any record, was granted to Samuel Hopkins, on July 31 1790, for making pot and pearl ashes. The second to James Stacey Sampson, on August 6, 1790, for making candles; and the third and last for the year 1790 was to Oliver Evans, for making flour and meal. The latter bears date Dec. 18, 1790.

The length of the Hoosac tunnel (just completed is 25,031 feet or about four miles and three quarters its height is twenty-four feet, and has a roadway of twenty-four feet in width—this enterprise has taken nearly twenty years to complete it, at a cost of about twelve millions of dollars, and at one time was abandoned as hopeless. It is second only to the Mount Cenis turned through the Alps, and which has a passage of seven miles in length.

The New York Commercial Advertiser says: Miss Lucy Langdon Nowell, of Alfred, Me., the woman who was to be tenderly borne to Philadelphia, to grace the coming Centennial Exposition, having been born July 4, 1776, very inconsiderately and seditionaly died at her home, in Massachusetts, the other day. With her, so far as is known, perishes the last of al the babies whose natal screams mingled with the wild clangor of independence bells.

A fireman has introduced into an engine-house in Bridgeport, Connecticut, an apparatus whereby the lights are turned up, the horses unfastened from their stalls, and the doors thrown back, all by the striking of the first blow of the alarm. The apparatus has worked very successfully for nearly a year. The hammer of the gong in lifting to strike the first blow moves a lever which sets the whole machinery in motion, and the horses, on finding themselves unfastened make their way to the truck and solemnly back to their places.

Mr. Frederick W. Schneider, of the Troy Press, set and distributed from December 13, 1872, to December 13, 1873, 3,234,208 ems. This amount divided among 313 working days, gives 10,366 ems per day, averaging in round numbers 10,000 per day, with a little margin of 114,192. The highest number set in any one day was 17,465. For thirty eight days Mr. Schneider set 13,000 ems per day, and for five weeks averaged 70,000 per week. For thirty-four week he set 60,000 ems. The matter was of a general nature, and outside of any department.

It appears that the evil savor of Judge Bingham's Credit Mobilier transaction, has preceded him, not only among the Americans and Europeans in this island, but that the quick-witted Japanese themselves have heard mention thereof, and are no wise flattered by the coming of the man. Mr. Bingham went one day to pay a visit to a Japanese man-of-war, and the officers received him in undress, which, however, is their privilege. After a formal and brief visit he took his departure. Two days after, as if the officers wished to give the greatest emphasis by contrast to their opinions of the two gentlemen, they sent an invitation to Mr. DeLong to visit their vessel. He complied, and was not only received in full dress, but a ministerial salute was fired in his honor, though he was then only a private citizen.

Visiting cards for this season are of the finest unglazed Bristol board, and a little larger than formerly. Some are in a delicate tints. The shape is more oblong than square. The London styles for gentlemen are very small—those for ladies very large. When the words are not printed on the corners of the cards, turning them down in the following order will denote the object of the call: The right hand upper corner is used to denote a simple call or visit; the left hand upper corner signifies congratulation after weddings, engagements, etc. The left hand lower corner is used for condolence; and the right hand lower for a visit previous to leaving town. It is customary to have the words *visite, félicitation, condoléance*, and *adieu*, printed on the reverse side at the corners. When leaving for a long journey, or voyage to the other side, it is necessary to send cards to friends with the simple word *congé*, (P. P. C.) in the left hand lower corner.

Letter from Mr. Stephens on the Salary Grab.

NATIONAL HOTEL,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 20, 1873.

Editors of The Constitution:

Your issue of the 18th instant has just reached me. In it I see your reply to my letter of the 13th instant, which appeared in the paper of the day before. In rejoinder to this reply I have but little to say, as you seem to have abandoned your charge that the Democratic members of Georgia who voted for or received the back pay allowed them by the last Congress had brought dishonor upon the State. It is true you still argue that it was in some sort of way or another an indefensible spoliation upon the treasury on their part, and that my defense of their integrity and honor in doing as they did was "a blunder" on my part. Your attempted argument to sustain this position has as little merit, you will allow me to say, as your first broad accusation had just grounds to rest upon. Your position to sustain the modified view is set forth in the following words:

"The law fixed their pay. They drew the said pay and *receipted the Government* for it. At the close of the session when the work was done and paid for and receipted, the members deliberately voted themselves nearly $5,000, a piece, of more pay for the work already done at the price regulated by law, and already paid for, and *settled up by receipt* of the members to the Government."

Now, allow me to say most respectfully to you that their pay was not *fixed* by law, and could not have been *fixed* by *any law constitutionally passed by any previous Congress* regulating their pay. That was a matter by which the Constitution was left exclusively for themselves to fix. The pay of a member of Congress can be constitutionally regarded by no law except by such as each Congress for itself may pass. As to what you may say about the members of the last Congress having "settled up by receipt" for their services before the passage of the Act fixing their pay for the entire Congress, I have only to say I suppose they had occasionally during the sessions, as was always usual, receipted for the advances made to them by the Sergeant-at-Arms to be accounted for on final settlement with him for their services during the whole Congress as it might be constitutionally fixed by the properly constituted law-making power over the subject.

You are pleased further to say: "We care not who has done the thing before, nor how often it has been done, nor how often it way be done in the absence of a law forbidding it that ought to be passed, we say that it is not right."

In this you clearly show that in your opinion, a law ought to be passed forbidding the members of a future Congress from increasing their pay and receiving the amount so increased. Are you aware that such a law would be utterly unconstitutional? It would be an act of gross usurpation, and no law at all; for as I said in my former letter and in the speech referred to, THE CONSTITUTION expressly provides that each Congress for itself shall fix the pay of its own Senators and members. Before Congress can constitutionally pass such a law as you say ought to be passed, there must be another amendment to the Constitution.

Such an Amendment was proposed to the States by Congress during Gen. Washington's Administration, and was rejected by a large majority of the States. A similar Amendment has been recently offered in the House, and it will be time enough to discuss its merits when it comes up for regular Congressional deliberation. You will, however, find very few intelligent men in this country, I suppose, who will agree with you in holding that Congress, under the Constitution, as it is, has any power to pass such a law as you say it ought to pass.

Your reference to the clamor raised against Mr. Clay for his course on the pay question, in order to avoid the force of my instance of him as one of the many of the illustrious men of this country—distinguished alike for honor and integrity—who had done the same act in principle that the Georgia Democrats had done in receiving "back pay" needs no reply from me. It is true a temporary clamor was raised against him and others of that day, who did just as he did, but it amounted to nothing in the end, so far as related to his and their character for honesty; and the "sweeping censure of public opinion" that was indulged in against him and others at that day was about as long in duration as the present "tempest in a tea pot" will be in spending its fury at this time

One further remark only I have now to add, and that is, to inform you how unfortunate you were in following the lead of the New York Herald in this matter. That paper was pleased to name John Fetcher of Va., and George W. Jones, of Tenn., as bright examples of Southern purity and honor, who had established characters for integrity far above the reach of even defending the robbery of "back-pay" grabbers. Now, were you aware when you so cordially endorsed this article of the New York Herald, and commended its "ringing expression" to your readers, that JOHN LETCHER and GEORGE W. JONES had both "perpetrated" the same act, in principle which you are pleased to style "an indefensible spoliation" of the treasury, that the Georgia Democrats had done, and for the doing of which, you have styled them "salary-grabbers" and classed them with "practical robbers." This only illustrates the Scriptural truth, that when "the blind lead the blind, both shall fall into the ditch."

Yours, very respectfully,
ALEXANDER H. STEPHENS.

Have Done Well.

Our old subscribers along the lines of the Atlanta and West Point Road and the Georgia Road have surpassed our subscribers in other sections in helping our enterprise—fully *three fourths* have responded. We trust our subscribers upon the other roads should at once remit for the Distribution. But few days now remain for securing cards. We have made a direct appeal to you. Will you not heed it?

Summary of State News.

GRIFFIN.

Butter and eggs in demand.——Partridges selling at fifteen cents each, and scarce.——Very few houses to rent.——The Knights of Jerico are increasing.—*News.*

LOUISVILLE.

Seven or eight negroes went into the store of J. H. Wilkins, closely blanketed and shawled, and stole thirteen pairs of pants and other articles to the amount of $200. They were arrested and jailed, but were paid out by their employers.——The old Concord (M. E.) Church is being rebuilt on the Augusta road.—*News and Farmer.*

PERRY.

Colonel S. D. Killen has been appointed by Governor Smith Judge of the County Court.——Nelson McGehee (col.) was convicted at Houston Superior Court of voluntary manslaughter and sentenced to the penitentiary for twenty years.——Nelson Wilson (col.) was found guilty of murder and sentenced to the penitentiary for life.——The manager of a circus, and the Superintendent of the Southwestern Railroad have been indicted for violating the Sabbath, the first for putting up canvas, and the other running a freight train on the Sabbath.——Charles Sheely, an attachee of the Circus, was fined $100 and costs for keeping a gaming table.——Lemon Causey was killed by his brother near Montezuma. The brother was acting in self-defense.—*Home Journal.*

The Samana Bay Company has "gone up," and President Baez, its best friend and advocate, is believed to be an exile. The job by which the United States was to furnish $150,000 for a coaling station, and thereby relieve the company from the necessity paying that amount to the Dominican government annually, as stipulated, could not be accomplished. Our government has refused to allow any vessel of the navy to appear in Dominican waters, for the reason that it might be construed as giving moral support to the claims of the company. All hope for a protectorate on the part of the United States is at an end. *Exeunt* Fabens, Fabens and Company to quick music.

The Salary Grab and Mr. Stephens.

In all courtesy to Mr. Stephens it does seem to us that it would be difficult to crowd into an article more of an inaccurate statement and inapplicable reasoning than will be found in his rejoinder to THE CONSTITUTION about the salary grab in another column.

His assumption that we have abandoned the position that the Georgia Democratic Congressmen who voted for and took the back pay, misrepresented the State and revolted the public sentiment of our people, is as incorrect and ungrounded as it is typical of his other positions. Such assumption is a random assertion, or a baseless fantacy. Mr. Stephens but confirms us in our view. And we assure him that a ringing denunciation of the back pay spoliation and a refusal to share the plunder by a Georgia Congressman would have thrilled the Democracy of Georgia like a trumpet note, and the failure to do so was felt as a lost opportunity to vindicate Georgia's resolute, unqualified opposition to public wrong.

In this connection it is perhaps the proper place to allude to Mr. Stephens' contemptuous references to the universal public opinion on the subject, and to his utter misconception of the origin, nature and extent of that opinion. With seeming flippancy he characterizes it as a "tempest in a tea pot," and dismisses it as a mere passing gust of popular caprice hardly worthy of notice. It may be that he and the few interested grabbers that he defends may be wiser and more correct on the subject than the overwhelming masses of the people. The public condemnation of this wrong began a half century ago with the first commission of the offence, and has flamed into activity since whenever the occasion arose. It drove the perpetrators to private life. It nearly exiled Mr. Clay from public position, and required his humble acknowledgement of the wrong to save him. The last grab took place a year ago, yet the public disapproval has never ceased its outspoken utterance. State legislatures have condemned it. Political conventions of all parties have denounced it. Its perpetrators have been almost unanimously retired by indignant constituencies. The public press has been a unit in its censure. Public sentiment everywhere in the country, has put the seal of rebuke upon it. The National Congress has had to go back upon its action in response to the pressure of popular virtue; and its defense by Mr. Stephens, has evoked a renewal of the storm of public censure, in and out of the State, and a biting criticism of his course from his best friends. In private conversation men disapprove and disagree with Mr. Stephens' course.

It may be that all this conscientious expression of a long-settled, deliberate, thoughtful, well-grounded public judgment, so unanimous, firm and consistent is a "tempest in a tea-pot" as Mr. Stephens disdainfully diagnoses the matter, but we apprehend that those public servants who in retirement will meditate on the effects of that tea-pot tempest will think differently.

The two main points in Mr. Stephens' rejoinder are that a technicality of the Constitution allowed the grab and therefore it is right, and that certain old-time Congressmen of acknowledged honesty had perpetrated a similar grab.

The first point is sophistical, and his last as to Georgians incorrect, and we challenge the proof.

While the Constitution allows each Congress to fix its own pay, it does not authorize any Congress to take pay twice for the same service, nor was its object to allow excessive or improper pay. The TRUTH IS THAT THE BACK PAY GRAB WAS NOT A LEGITIMATE EXECUTION OF, BUT AN OUTRAGEOUS ABUSE OF THE LAW. Congress may have had the power under the law to abuse it, but the possession and exercise of the power does not justify that abuse. In the imperfection of human ordinances there are many things technically legal that are legally wrong, and many things physically possible that are gravely objectionable.

We have a pertinent analogy to Mr. Stephens' argument on this point. A man was caught trying to bribe a jury. A graver crime is hardly possible. Its success would overturn all law. The man could not be indicted because his attempt at bribery was made on the bailiff and not directly on the jury. The law specified the attempt of bribery on a jury as a crime but not on the bailiff to reach the jury. The intent was the same. The consequences were the same. The violation to right was the same. The injury to society was the same. Yet through the imperfection of the law the criminal escaped in one case that would have been punished in the other.

The back pay grab of the last Congress shocks moral sense, and is a violation of business honesty. It is just as much wrong as if the law condemned it instead of improperly allowing it. And we are glad to see for his own sake that Mr. Stephens avowedly disclaims the discussion of its expediency, and simply relies on his constitutional technicality. This technicality, like the bribery law, saves the criminal, but it don't relieve the moral aspects of the crime. The briber walked out of court relieved of penalty, but none the less of a self-convicted though unpunished briber. The back pay grabber safely clutches his spoliation and rests on his technicality, but that makes him none the less a grabber in the eyes of an indignant and discriminating public.

Mr. Stephens' references to the unconstitutionality of a law changing the matter is irrelevant. Whether it takes a law or an amendment to the Constitution to change the improper power to take back grab, the change should be made.

Upon the second point, we deny that our worthy public men in the past, whom we have commended, have committed a like spoliation, and challenge the proof.

Look at this last grab. Its features are peculiar, exclusive and unique in their wrong. An entire session had passed, been paid for by appropriation, receipted for by the members under an existing law that had been in force for a number of years, and the settlement closed up. At the close of the next session a new law of compensation was passed, changing the old law and increasing the direct pay on account of yielding certain perquisites of mileage and postage enjoined under the old law. Mark you, the full benefit of the old law was reaped by the member—mileage, postage and all. The work was done, and done a year, it was paid for and receipted by legal appropriation. No thought of further pay entered the heads of members at the time. When the new law passed this thought of further service done and paid for and settled by receipt was carried out. The pay was increased to $7,500 a year instead of $5,000, and the additional $2,500 was among other things to offset mileage, postage, etc. Those Constitution-obeying members, who had drawn $5,000 a year, mileage and postage for two sessions, under the old law, drew $2,500 more under the new law, thus getting the benefits of both laws for the same time. If Mr. Stephens is right that they should have taken advantage of the new law, then they had no right to the benefit of the old law. If they got the benefit of the old law, the benefit of the new law in addition was spoliation. To take both was robbery—pure, unadulterated, square out robbery—unauthorized by any part of the constitution, and in violation of both law and honesty.

We deny that any of the Georgia Congressmen referred to by us in the past, have perpetrated this grab, and we challenge Mr. Stephens to the proof. And we say further, if such wrong can be proven on them, it will make no difference in the public estimate of such wrong, nor in our condemnation of it.

There are several additional points we intended alluding to, but the length of the article forbids. We perhaps should add, that Mr. Stephens being manifestedly determined to handle us with gloves off, we deem it necessary to abandon our previous mild course deprecatory of a discussion, meet Mr. Stephens squarely, and let THE CONSTITUTION take to the people simultaneously both its position and his.

Important News in Connection with the Virginius Affair.

Our telegraphic dispatches, both of yesterday noon and last night, contain some important intelligence about the Virginius affair. Simultaneously with the delivery of the survivors of the Virginius in horrible condition to our authorities comes the news that the Spaniards are clamoring for the return of the Virginius and her survivors to the Spanish government to be dealt with as pirates. And this demand is based upon the hasty opinion of Attorney General Williams, Chief Justice in the prospective, that the American papers of the Virginius were illegal, and the ship had no right to be sailing under American colors. The prisoners, however tell terrible tales of Spanish cruelty. They say that up to the very hour of delivery they were tortured with the prospect of death, and that the testimony on which the Attorney General gave his opinion was confessions forced from the distressed wretches under threat of death.

It would be indeed inhuman to turn over these poor fellows to the savage brutality of Spanish blood.

It seems as if the complication is not ended.

Mr. Stephens on Civil Rights.

The Washington correspondent of the Courier-Journal details what purports to be an interview between Hon. A. H. Stephens and General Shermar. Here it is:

Last week Hon. Fernando Wood gave an entertainment to gentlemen. Among the guests were the Hon. Alexander H. Stephens and General Sherman. Mr. Wood approached the General and said: "May I present you to Mr. Stephens?" "Oh, yes," said the General; "I am not afraid to meet Mr. Stephens." "Mr. Stephens, I am very happy to see you in Washington again occupying your old position of honor." Said Mr. Stephens in reply: "And I am happy to return. I am gratified and overwhelmed with the kindness, honor and respect with which I have been treated." Said the General: "Mr. Stephens, after all, this is a good world. There are good men and good women everywhere, and if we only feel kindly towards others, we will find that it is always returned." There was much more said which I have forgotten, except that Mr. Stephens announced that he would go farther than Charles Sumner in securing every right to the negro. "I acknowledge," said he, "that I did not always think so, but now that the colored man is a voter, don't stop half way in their education and privileges." So here we have the spectacle of two extremes meeting.

This publication about Mr. Stephens seems to have created a good deal of noise. Our morning telegrams tell us that a delegation of colored men waited on Mr. Stephens yesterday and interviewed him on the subject. He told them he was in favor of the States controlling this subject, and that he proposed to make a speech on the Civil Rights Bill when it comes up in the House.

This speech of Mr. Stephens' will be looked to with eager interest. If Mr. Stephens can argue Congress into remitting this subject to the action of the States, he will have accomplished a great benefit.

The Press Speaking Out.

At the very outset we predicted that the press and the people would finally declare against the folly of imposing upon themselves heavier burdens upon the unnecessary holding of a convention. And they are doing it. The fact is, that the entire agitation on the subject has been confined to two or three newspapers, that kept up such a persistent clamor as to force attention. It is indisputably true that the people have shown no interest in the matter, because, notwithstanding incessant calls for meetings, there has been but two in the entire State, and the only grand jury that has spoken appealed earnestly against the holding of a Convention. This being true, a very weak artifice has been adopted of charging the opposition "to the Atlanta press." This, too, in the very face of the fact that THE CONSTITUTION has been publishing opposing arguments from the press in all portions of the State. In addition we call attention to the following powerful array of journals and argument.

The Columbus Sun declares that it is still unconvinced that now is the time to hold a Convention, and the Savannah Advertiser-Republican thus emphatically speaks. We call special attention to the closing paragraphs:

One thing may be considered assured, and that is, the people of Georgia, in their present temper and circumstances, will not and ought not to submit to additional taxation for any purpose save for the upholding of the public honor. It is not likely that the State or any of the municipal corporations within her limits are going to add to the public burdens in times like these. Indeed it may be said that the State has no credit to pledge in behalf of railroad and other enterprises.

It is about all that she can do to meet expenses and at the same time maintain her credit. Would it be wise, then, to add to the present embarrassment, and call for a convention?

Would it be well just now, in the midst of a financial panic, when property of all kinds is depreciated, and the public confidence is unsettled, to hold a constitutional convention? In view of the changed condition of the people, some new experiments are being made in the public polity. Would it not be well to give these the test of time?

If the Supreme Court is to be torn down; if usury is to be engrafted upon a bill of rights; if imprisonment for debt is to be re-established; if the present form and system of State government is to be put at the mercy of a convention of uncertain composition, then the people should have the fullest opportunity of deliberation before the grant of power. The Legislature should be deaf to passion and prejudice in the settlement of this issue.—*Savannah Advertiser.*

The Thomaston Herald treats the subject in a very brief but pointed manner. The editor has evidently been a close observer of the discussion, as evinced by the concluding sentence:

The question of a State Convention for sundry purposes, seems to be demanded by some journals of the State. There is no more use for a Convention than there is for another panic. The capital question and the homestead law, are the measures on which a Convention is demanded. The clamor comes principally from the Eastern portion of the State, and we do not believe anything like a majority desire the agitation, the expense and the probable little, if any advantage, that will accrue from a Convention.

Says the Catoosa Courier:

We cannot comprehend why all this hue and cry is raised for a Convention, unless the agitators of the question vainly hope to move the Capital and thereby work an injury to the city of Atlanta and to North Georgia. The burden of the whole song seems to be, "back to Milledgeville." Now, while we have great respect for the old town and its good, clever citizens, if it were a fixed fact, and foregone conclusion, that the Capitol had to be moved from Atlanta, we would not, the people of Georgia would not vote to move it to Milledgeville, but in all probability, Macon would be selected. The proposed Convention, if held, and the removal of the Capitol would involve an expenditure of possibly a half million dollars.

Again, while nobody claims that the present constitution is perfect, the State at large seems to be prosperous under its wing, and it is a mighty good rule, "to let well enough alone."

The masses understand this and we are not much alarmed by the convention bugaboo.—*Catoosa Courier.*

Says the Brunswick Appeal:

Mr. Reed wants men imprisoned for debt and most every advocate for a State Convention wants something worse than any thing in the present constitution as objectionable as it may be. The people will let well enough alone for awhile—none of these men show that the people are suffering at present from defects in the constitution.

We shall continue to show that the press are getting aroused and the people also.

Danbury Fun.

[From the Danbury News, December 6]

"Who cuts your clothes, Tommy?" asked a visitor of a curiously ragged boy. "Well," said he ingeniously, "ma cuts my pants, and pa cuts my jackets."

What this country needs is not another Andrew Jackson, but a Christopher Columbus. We want some one to find us.

Now that skating has set in, care should be taken to avoid air holes. It is surprising the amount of moisture an air-hole contains.

In view of our war prospects, it is painful to witness the ferocious aspect of those people who have passed their forty-fifth year.

A Danbury woman, hearing that a former neighbor, who had once tried to injure her, had been seen in New Haven, inquired, with burning eyes and cheeks, "what did she have on?"

A boy living on Sugar Hollow road ate twenty-one buckwheat cakes one day last week, and so disturbed his stomach as to cause his death in three days after. The last words he uttered were of modest triumph. He said, "I slung 'em!"

A Troy editor took his wife to New York Friday. The conductor, when he came along, recognized our Troy brother as entitled to free passage, but not knowing the lady, whispered to him, "Is this lady a friend of yours?" "No, no," said the Troy editor, in haste, "she is my wife."

It was about two o'clock Friday morning that Mrs. Hennessey, of Nelson street, thinking she heard a noise in the kitchen, crept out of bed and to that room to see if it was not Hennessey, who had been expected in for several hours. On reaching the kitchen she found her lord and master sitting on the floor, with his new silk hat between his knees, and in his hat several dried herrings and about two quarts of water. Mr. Hennessey was eyeing the mixture with profound gratification. "John Hennessey," screamed the lady, "what are you doing?"

"Me?" inquired Mr Hennessey, with a look of surprise. "Why, Matilda, I'm (hic!) starting an acquarium for you Crish-mus."

Mr. O'Clarence aided Mrs. O'Clarence in the domestic arrangements for Thanksgiving by chopping mince-meat and the turkey-stuffing. There was enough of each of these delicacies, Mr. Clarence thought, to supply a hospital. When he got them ready he signified his willingness to further aid her, but she, busy elsewhere, gracefully acknowledged the kindness, but declined further help. But when a man feels his heart overflowing with love towards his life-partner he does not stop in any effort for her help. Mr. O'Clarence immediately poured the two into one, and deftly mixed together with a longhandled spoon. Then he went down street, the end of his nose fairly shining with good intentions toward everybody. It was near night when Mrs. O'Clarence made the horrid discovery that the mince-meat and turkey stuffing—a half-bushel in all—were locked in each-other's embrace. All the work had to be done over again, but Mr. O'Clarence did not participate. He was beguiled into the cellar and there tied to a beam until the ingredients were secured against tampering with. He says it is plain to be seen that there is an impression in the family that he is responsible for the trouble.

North Carolina News.

The public printing has been awarded to Mr. Turner, of the Sentinel.

The Fayetteville Eagle learns that Mr. H. K. Hall, of Harnett, killed a grade Chester hog weighing 686 pounds.

The Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows in this State will meet in Greensboro in February.

The Asheville Expositor says: The hog cholera is raging fearfully along the French Broad—the infection caught from the droves passing from Tennessee and Kentucky. Capt. Alexander, Gen. Vance and others, have lost most all their hogs.

Winston Sentinel: Elisha Peacock was arrested in Yadkinville on last Saturday week by the Sheriff of Ashe county for killing a man whose name we are unable to learn. The difficulty occurred about a young woman when Peacock stabbed his rival, who died in a few minutes. Peacock is about 18 years old, and lives in Yadkin county.

The Danbury Reporter thus reports an extraordinary fox hunt in his section: an old red fox near Sandy Ridge, in Stokes county, has been 'too many' for the hounds in that section for a long time, and had distanced his pursuers in sixteen square races, and the sportsmen had come to the conclusion that he could not be caught. Last week Carlos and Coleman Z'glar, of this county, brought their pack over, and after a race of six hours, through two States and four counties, they strung him, and now his hide gracefully ornaments the gable end of Cole. Z'glar's house.

How to Lead a Cow.

The Ames, (Iowa,) Intelligencer has the following: Every woman will tell you that a man can be led easier by putting an arm about his neck, than by pulling his hair, but we never knew till recently, that the reason you can't lead a cow behind a wagon, is because she objects to having her horns pulled. The other day a red shirted emigant passed through here on his way to Carroll county; his family and household possessions were in a covered wagon, to the hind end of which was fastened a cow. Behind her with a sharp stick, walked the emigrant, giving her a smart welt occasionally when she hung back. Every now and then she would brace herself and stop the team, and then in unclerical language he would beseech her to go on, marking each forcible period with a prod of the sharp stick. The poor cow rolled her eyes, and rolled her tongue. The poor emigrant, too, was dusty, and tired, but his voice and stick didn't fail him. She had suddenly halted the procession in front of the post office, and was shaking her head in reply to his earnest entreaties, when a man called out to Red Shirt that he didn't "understand cows worth a cent."

"Well, what are you going to do about it?" asked Red Shirt.

"Why, just take that rope off her horns, and put it around her neck, and she'll lead as quiet as a lamb. If she don't I'll follow her a m l myself."

The rope was changed to her neck, and the team started. The cow gave a look of surprise, and walked along.

"Well, that beats all," said Red Shirt, and without a word of thanks he mounted his wagon. The procession moved slowly on toward Carroll county, and the cow followed with countenance as placid as if she were walking home at milking time.

BY TELEGRAPH

TO THE ATLANTA CONSTITUTION.

EARLY NIGHT NEWS

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THE LABORERS.

DESPERATE CONDUCT IN PHILADELPHIA—QUIET IN LOUISVILLE.

PHILADELPHIA, December 23.—The strike of the longshoremen continues. The Southern Steamship Company had their regular force of twelve men at work yesterday, and also succeeded in getting six additional men in the afternoon at a reduced rate. Of these six men three were beaten last night after they quit work. As a natural consequence, the company is without extra stevedores this morning, the men who are willing to work being afraid to work elsewhere, as they may be protected by the presence of policemen during the day. They have pretty solid assurance that the strikers will be after them at night. This company will not hold, though they have three vessels in port at present, all being detained, and have others to arrive in a few days.

LOUISVILLE, December 23.—An orderly meeting of workingmen was held to confer with the city government regarding work.

THE VIRGINIUS AFFAIR.

HER FALSE PAPERS—ENGLISH VIEW OF THE SPANISH DEMAND ON THE UNITED STATES.

WASHINGTON, December 23.—It has been ascertained from a prominent government official that the investigation as to the character of the Virginius will be conducted in New York, though the government is powerless to proceed against Battleson, to whom the register, for that vessel was issued on account of the statute of limitations, therefore no punishment can be inflicted, two years having elapsed since he obtained the papers. He cannot be molested, but had all the facts become known within the two years, he would have been prosecuted for perjury.

The President returned here this morning from St. Louis.

LONDON, December 23.—The Times of this morning alluding to a report that Spain has made a demand upon the United States for the restoration of the steamship Virginius and the survivors surrendered at Santiago de Cuba, says: Such action on the part of Spain would be premature despite the opinion of the Attorney-General of the United States that the Virginius had no right to carry the American flag. Spain must wait until the United States Court has settled the case of the vessel before proceeding further in the matter.

WASHINGTON.

GRANT WONT WITHDRAW WILLIAMS' NOMINATION.

MR. STEPHENS TELLS SOME NEGRO VISITORS HIS VIEWS ON THE CIVIL RIGHTS BILL.

WASHINGTON, December 23.—The President stated emphatically to-day that the nomination of Attorney General Williams for Chief Justice would not be withdrawn, and that he had never contemplated such a thing.

A colored delegation composed of George T. Downing, Frederick Douglass, N. W. Coney, T. G. Barbadoes, D. A. Stryker and William D. Wilson, had an interview to-day, by appointment, with Representative A. H. Stephens, of Georgia, who received the delegation in the most friendly manner. The delegation report that in the course of conversation Mr. Stephens freely admitted that the colored men, as citizens they were were entitled to full protection in their civil rights, without any invidious proscription; but that it was the duty of the respective States, and not that of the Federal Government, to act in order to secure them. He stated he was preparing a speech to be delivered in the House of Representatives on the civil rights bill, and in this his views will be fully expressed.

The United States Supreme Court has adjourned to the 5th January.

CHURCH BEQUEST.

A BALTIMORE CITY COURT PRONOUNCES IT VOID.

BALTIMORE, December 23.—In the Circuit Court of Baltimore city, this morning, Judge Pinkney decided that a bequest to the Bishop of western Maryland, in trust, to be used for the erection of a Mission Church in the city of Baltimore, was void, on ground of uncertainty. The late Rev. G. Morrison, after making a number of bequests in his will, declares the balance I devise to be left to Bishop of Western Maryland in trust, to be used for the erection of a mission church in the city of Baltimore.

Bishop Whittingham sued the executor of Morrison to recover the bequest and the courts say there cannot be a trustee without a cestui que trust and if it cannot be ascertained who is cestui que trust is, it is the same as if there were none and the bequest is void for uncertainty.

EARLY STARS.

LEWISTOWN, ME., December 23.—The President of the First National Bank accuses the Cashier of irregularities, but claims solvency for the bank.

LONDON, December 23.—Bowles Brothers & Co.'s Bankruptcy case has been adjourned sine die. The creditors of the firm are in favor of funding projects.

HARTFORD, CONN., December 23.—The Manilla Paper Mill at Winsor, has been burned. Loss $75,000.

CINCINNATI, December 23.—The Legislature of West Virginia adjourned yesterday. No action upon the question of the removal of the Capital.

Edward Schawrz Voegel, his child and wife, recently from Baltimore, and natives of Prussia, were found in their room, at the hotel corner of Pearl street and Central avenue. The two former were dead and the latter in a dying condition from inhaling the gas, which they had neglected to turn off before retiring.

THE WEATHER.

WINDS AND CLOUDS AND POSSIBLY RAIN IN GEORGIA.

WASHINGTON, December 23.—For New England and the Middle States, cloudy weather with rain or snow and fresh to brisk northerly to westerly winds will prevail with slight rise of temperature, followed by clearing weather in the northern portion of last named district during Wednesday afternoon or evening.

For the Southern States east of the Mississippi river, northerly winds with cloudy weather and possibly light rain will prevail.

For the lake region, light variable winds with slight changes in pressure and temperature and generally fair weather, but with areas of light snow for the northwest.

The barometer will fall temporarily, with light to fresh southerly winds and cloudy weather and snow in the river valleys. The temperature in this region and the upper lake region will probably fall during Wednesday.

For the canal regions of New York and Pennsylvania, freezing weather will continue during the coming twenty-four hours, and cautionary signals continue at Norfolk, Cape May, New York, New Haven, and New London.

DURELL TO BE INVESTIGATED.

WASHINGTON, December 23.—Messrs Wilson and Eldridge leave not later than Saturday. They will be accompanied by a stenographer and a Sargeant-at-Arms. It is the intention of the Committee while avoiding State politics and complications, to investigate every action of the Federal Court which it is claimed taints Judge Durell's ermine. The Committee is not cramped for time but will remain in New Orleans until all the facts are elicited.

MARINE.

CHARLESTON, December 23.—Arrived—Champion, Ashland, Sea Gul, Nellie F. Guest, H. C. Hall, Georgiana, Enoc B. Phillips, (which was reported lost,) E. C. Babcock.

Sailed—Georgia, Conception.

SAVANNAH, December 23.—Arrived—Magnolia, Montgomery, May Morn.

Cleared—Celeste, Hawes, Sabra, Moses Vision, Vergo, John Mayal, Empire, Estelle, Armida, Satilla River; Oriental, for Boston, was lightened and gotten afloat to-day.

MIDNIGHT NEWS.

EX-MAYOR HALL, OF NEW YORK—HIS TRIAL EVOKES SOME DAMAGING TESTIMONY.

NEW YORK, December 23.—Custom receipts to-day amounted to one-quarter million dollars.

In the trial of ex-Mayor Hall this evening, Keyser gave in as testimony that he added 33 per cent. to his bills, but said he did not consider it a fraud, and would do so again. Garvey, the ring plasterer, again testified to adding 65 per cent. to his bills, which aggregate a million and one hundred thousand dollars, four per cent. of which went to Tweed. The case closed for the prosecution. Court adjourned until to-morrow.

ANTI-MONOPOLY VICTORY IN CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 23.—Judge Hager, the anti-railroad candidate, was elected United States Senator for the short term, on the second ballot.

FOREIGN SCRAPS.

MADRID, December 23.—Generals Moriones and Loma have re-entered the province of Biscay with fifteen thousand men.

LONDON, December 23.—The Daily News reports that the hostile tone of pastorals issued by French Bishops have caused the German Government to renew its complaints to France.

LONDON, December 23.—The bark Oliver Cromwell, from Wisbeach, for Pensacola put into Homspate yesterday with the loss of foretopmast and yards, having been in collision with an unknown vessel.

Arrived at Liverpool, the ship Tyro, from Savannah. The brigs Albert and Fesco, from Charleston. Cuba, from Galveston. Off Liverpool, Imperatore and London, for New Orleans. Arrived at Falmouth, barks Normandy and Arlmengton for New Orleans. At Cardiff, bark Evening Star, from Pensacola. At Havre, ship Chloe, from Savannah. Sailed from Liverpool, ships Perseverence, Pensacola, Rosa Bonheur. Southwest Pass, bark Waverly, Savannah.

The Virginius Affair.

NEW COMPLICATIONS—SPAIN ON THE WAR PATH.

HAVANA, December 23.—The Diaro de la Marina of to-day claims that as the United States Attorney General has decided that the Virginius illegally carried the American flag at the time of her capture, Spain must demand her restoration and that of her surviving prisoners. It infers from the decision that the Virginius was a pirate, and the United States government, besides restoration, must give Spain satisfaction adequate to the offense of requiring a surrender. Diario demands the same vessels which received the Virginius at Bobia Honda to return her there, and the Juniata bring the prisoners back to Santiago, because the Virginius was the legal prize of the Tornado, and the prisoners can and should be tried only by Spanish tribunals. Spain is advised to be clement with them and not to employ the full force of the law. Diario concludes with a hope that General Sickles will not withdraw his resignation.

The Vose de Cuba declares that Spain now has a right to demand satisfaction of the United States, and the resignation of General Sickles is imperative, in view of the awkward and ridiculous position in which he is placed. In order to enforce these demands, Spain requires a more energetic Minister at Washington than Admiral Polo.

The Diaro, in another article, bitterly complains of home government. It says no Spanish nation exists to-day. The nation is represented only by egotistical parties. There is no war cry, and therefore our traditional enemies put their feet on our necks. Had Spain been united the Washington protocol would never have been ratified. The nation would never have permitted the shadow of such an outrage. The Junta, the Inteadente and leading merchants continue to deliberate on plans for a solution of the financial crisis, but the result is as far off as ever.

Financial and Commercial.

Atlanta Cotton Statement.

ATLANTA, GA., December 23, 1873.—Cotton closed quiet at 13¼ cents.

RECEIPTS FOR TO-DAY.

By wagon	160 bales.
Air-Line Railroad	180 "
By West Point Railroad	166 "
By Georgia Railroad	4 "
By Central Railroad	48 "
By Western and Atlantic Railroad	10 "
Total	568
Receipts previous	41,159
Total receipts	41,727 bales
Shipments to-day	675 "
Shipments previous	38,618 "
Total shipments	39,293 bales
Stock on hand	2,434 "

Telegraph Market Reports.

NEW YORK, December 23.—Cotton—net receipts 1,542; gross 2,859.

Futures closed easy; sales 19,800 bales. January, 15 7-32; February, 15 27-32a15 7-8; March, 16 3-8; April, 16 3-4a16 7-8; May 17 1-8a17 3 8.

Cotton quiet; sales 2,451 bales at 15½a16½; same sales; one-eighth higher.

Flour unchanged. Whisky 99. Wheat 1a2 better. Corn unchanged. Coffee very firm; upward tendency. Sugar steady. Molasses quiet and unchanged. Rice quiet. Pork firm; new $16. Lard weak at 8 5-8a8 3 4. Tallow firm at 7 7 8a7 3-4. Navals quiet. Freights steady. Money easy at 6a7. Sterling weak at 8 3-8. Gold 10 1-8a10 1 4. Governments dull; little doing. States quiet and nominal.

Arrived out—Pierre and Republic.

NEW YORK, December 23.—There is a northerly snow storm prevailing, and the Cotton Exchange will be closed from to-morrow until Monday.

ST. LOUIS, December 23.—Flour—low and medium grades scarce; winter scarce and wanted; all grades firm and unchanged. Corn better; new mixed 53a53; old do. 55a56 1-2, on track. Whisky dull and lower—93; offered at close at 92 without buyers. Pork quiet at $14 50 for small lots. Bacon held firmly above buyers's views. Lard nominally 8.

CINCINNATI, December 23.—Flour unchanged. Corn steady 54a58. Pork nominally unchanged. Lard quiet; steam 8 1-8; kettle 8 3-8a8 5 8. Bacon firm and scarce with light sales; shoulders 7; clear rib 7 3-4a8; clear 8a8 1-4. Whisky firmer at 92.

MEMPHIS, December 23.—Cotton dull and heavy; low middlings 14 1-4a14 1-2; receipts 3,726; shipments 2,056; stock 58,520.

NORFOLK, December 23.—Cotton quiet and easy; low middlings 14 5-8; net receipts 2,311; exports coastwise 2,636; sales 640; stock 19,223.

BOSTON, December 23.—Cotton quiet; middlings 16 1-4; net receipts 233; gross 726; exports to Great Britain 21; sales 300; stock 6,000.

BALTIMORE, December 23.—Cotton dull and nominal; middlings 15 1-2 low middlings 14 3 4; strict good ordinary 14; net receipts 166; gross 845; exports coastwise 475; sales 150; spinners 75; stock 17,420.

GALVESTON, December 23.—Cotton lower and in moderate demand; good ordinary 13 5-8; ordinary 12 1-8; net receipts 2,626; gross 2,626; exports coastwise .63; sales 2,000; stock 83.

NEW ORLEANS, December 23.—Cotton a shade easier and in good demand; middlings 15 5-8a15 3-4; low middlings 14 5-8a14 3-4; strict good ordinary 13 5-8a13 3-4; net receipts 10,187 bales; gross 10,781; exports to the continent 1,687; France 1,970; sales 6,000; last evening 4,000; stock 237,289.

NEW ORLEANS, December 23.—Corn lower at 73a78; white 74. Yellow oats quiet at 52. Bran dull at 95. Hay dull; $19 for prime; $23 for choice. Pork dull but held at $15 50—no buyers. Dry salted meats quiet; 6 1-4 for shoulders; 8 1-4 for clear rib; 8 1-2 for clear sides. Bacon scarce and higher; 8 for shoulders; 8 7-8 for clear rib; 9 1-4a9 1-2 for clear sides.

Gold 10a10 1-2. Exchange—New York sight 1-2 discount; sterling 18 1-2 for bank drafts.

WILMINGTON, December 23.—Cotton quiet; middlings 14 1-2; net receipts 871 bales; exports to Great Britain 923; sales 234; stock 3,891.

MOBILE, December 23.—Cotton quiet and easier; middlings 15 1-8; low middlings 14 3-8; strict good ordinary 13 5 8; net receipts 2,600 bales; exports coastwise 801; sales 1,000; stock 54,454.

PHILADELPHIA, December 23.—Cotton dull; middlings 16½; low middlings 15 3-8a15 1-2; strict good ordinary 15; net receipts 61 bales; gross 34'.

PARIS, December 23.—Rentes 58f 25c.

LONDON, December 23.—Turpentine 31s 3d a31s 6d. Tallow 40s 9d.

LIVERPOOL, December 23.—Turpentine 30sa30s 6d. Yarns and fabrics at Manchester dull, with a downward tendency.

LOUISVILLE, December 23.—Flour in fair demand and firm. Corn steady, 45a50 for new shelled. Pork steady and in light demand at $15 50a16. Bacon quiet and firm; clear rib 8 1-2. Lard steady at 9a10 for kettle; 8a8 1-2 for steam.

AUGUSTA, December 23.—Cotton dull; middlings 14 3-8; receipts 3,085 bales; shipments 2,090.

SAVANNAH, December 23.—Cotton firm; middlings 15; net receipts 4,147 bales; exports to Great Britain 8,539; coastwise 1,267; sales 3,443; stock 123,409.

CHARLESTON, December 23.—Cotton more steady; middlings 15; low middlings 14 3-4; strict good ordinary 14 1-8; net receipts 3,097 bales; gross receipts 3,833; exports to France 451; sales 1,000; stock 60,607.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR RENT.

AN Eight Room Residence, on Marietta street, two minutes' walk from Capitol; eight splendid rooms, closets, gas, water bath room, servants' rooms and stable. Possession given January 1. Apply

B. W. WRENN,
W. & A. R. R. Depot.

dec24—d1w

NAILS! NAILS!

WE offer to the trade at low figures for CASH, or on 30 days' paper, the ROSE NAILS, being the best that are made. Can furnish any quantity for sizes needed. Dealers will find it to their interest to order from us.

dec24—d1m ST. PHILIPS & FLYNN.

AMUSEMENTS.

NEW OPERA HOUSE.

C. B. JEFFERSON........

ONE NIGHT ONLY

Wednesday, December 24,

JOSEPH JEFFERSON

—AS—

RIP VAN WINKLE

RESERVED SEATS, Dress Circle and ... $1 50. Admission $1 00. ... Private Boxes $5 00 and $7 50. ... seats commences at Phillips & ... Music Store, Tuesday, December ...

dec22—d3t

OPERA HOUSE

THREE NIGHTS ONLY

THURSDAY, FRIDAY & SATURDAY

December 25, 26 and 27,

THE KING LAUGH MAKERS

CALLENDER'S ...

GEORGIA MINSTRELS

Entire change of programme ... culiar characteristic ... PLANTATION LIFE.

GRAND HOLIDAY MATINEE ... Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Reserved seats at ... Store, without extra charge.

dec21—d6t THOS. W. ...

WANTED.

TO hire from $1,000 to $2,000 for 6 to 12 ... Will secure the same on city or country ... and pay fair rates of interest. Address ...

dec24-d3t Care S. D. H., P. O. ...

FOR RENT.

A TWO-STORY DWELLING, ... ing on Fair street, between ... neighbo. hood and convenient ... rooms, with pantry, bath, and ... room detached. Possession given ... of January next. Terms reasonable. ... preferred. Apply to

dec24—d1t ED. A. ... Georgia ...

CHRISTMAS GIFTS.

WILL be sold by the Live Auction ... Mayson & Norman, commencing ... o'clock, a large and well selected lot of ... aries, Toys, Candies, Fruits, Fire Works ... The sales will continue day and night ... Sales positive. T. C. ...

dec24—d1t

Notice in Bankruptcy.

THIS is to give notice that on the ... cember, A. D., 1873, a warrant in ... issued against the estate of Rich... of Senoia, county of Coweta, and ... who has been adjudged a bankrupt ... petition, and that the payment of ... delivery of any property belonging ... erty by him are forbidden by law; ... the creditors of the said Bankrupt ... debts and to choose one or more ... estate, will be held at a Court of ... holden at the court-house in ... Lemuel T. Downing, Esquire, ... day of January, A. D., 1874, at ...

United States Marshal ...

dec24—d3t

Notice in Bankruptcy.

THIS is to give notice that on the ... cember, A. D., 1873, a warrant ... was issued against the estate of ... the county of Fayette, and ... gia, who has been adjudged ... own petition, and that the payment ... the delivery of any property ... rupt, to him or for his use, and ... property by him are forbidden by ... of the creditors of the said ... their debts and to choose one ... his estate, will be held at a Court of ... be holden at the court-house in ... Lemuel T. Downing, Esquire, ... day of January, A. D., 1874, at ...

United States Marshal ...

dec24—d2t

Notice in Bankruptcy.

THIS is to give notice that ... December, A. D., 1873, a warrant ... was issued against the estate of ... of Atlanta, county of Fulton ... Georgia, who has been adjudged ... rupt on his own petition, ... payment of any Debts, and ... Property belonging to such Bankrupt ... his use, and the transfer of any Property ... forbidden by Law; that a Meeting of ... the said Bankrupt, to prove their ... one or more Assignees of his ... held at a Court of Bankruptcy ... Atlanta, Georgia, before ... Esquire, Register, on the 7th day of ... A. D., 1874, at 10 o'clock A. M.

United States Marshal ...

dec24—d1t

Notice in Bankruptcy.

THIS is to give notice that on the ... cember, A. D., 1873, a warrant in ... issued against the estate of ... of Griffin, county of ... Georgia, who has been ... rupt on his own petition, ... payment of any debts, ... property belonging to such ... his use, and the transfer of ... forbidden by law; that ... of the said Bankrupt, to prove ... one or more Assignees ... Court of Bankruptcy, to be ... before Alexander G. Murray, ... the 15th day of January, A. D. ...

United States Marshal ...

dec24 d1t

Notice in Bankruptcy.

THIS is to give notice that on the ... cember, A. D. 1873, a warrant in ... issued against the estate of Benjamin ... Griffin, county of Spalding ... who has been adjudged a Bankrupt ... tition, and that the payment of ... livery of any Property belonging ... to him or for his use, and ... ty by him are forbidden by law; ... Creditors of the said Bankrupt ... and to choose one or more ... will be held at a Court of ... at Griffin, Ga., before Alexander ... Register, on the 15th day of ... 10 o'clock, A. M.

United States Marshal ...

dec24—d1t

MARSHAL'S NOTICE ... REVENUE SEIZURE.

United States vs. one cask apple brandy ... thirty-three ...

WHEREAS, an information has been ... District Court of the United States ... Northern District of Georgia ... 1873, by Henry P. Farrow, ... torney in behalf of the United ... above described property, ... day of February, 1873, the above ... was seized by Isham S. Fannin, ... Revenue for the 3d Collection ... that the aforesaid property ... the use of the United States ... alleging, that the said forfeiture ... son of a violation of the ... will more fully appear by ... mation on file with the Clerk ... ta, Ga., and praying the ... of the said Court; that all ... said property above mentioned ... cited to answer the premises ... being had, that the same may ... and the proceeds thereof be ... law.

Therefore in pursuance of ... under the seal of the said Court ... delivered, I do hereby give ... generally having, or pretending ... title or, interest thereto ... Court in the city of Atlanta ... December next, if it be a ... next court day thereafter ... noon, then and there to answer ... tion and to make their allegations ...

Dated at Atlanta, Ga., December ...

dec14-law3t United States ...

Madison House

MADISON, GEORGIA.

TRAVELERS, invalids and ... one of the best hotels in the ... the trains who will take ... all reasonable ...

apr13—d1y

Dissolved Partnership.

THE partnership heretofore ... FRANK & KAHN is this day ... tual consent. M. Frank retiring. ... tinued by Bender & Kahn.

TO OUR FRIENDS.—We ... past favors and respectfully ...

dec12—d1w

IN the District Court of the ... District of Georgia—In the ... a Bankrupt—In Bankruptcy ... This is to give notice ... that I have been appointed ... Early Banes, of the ... said district, who has ... upon his own petition ... district. December ...

dec5—d1aw3w

BANK OF THE STATE OF ... Ocker, President; ... discounted. Deposits ... mestic Exchange bought ... points in Europe ... Agents for the ... Lines. First-class ... rates.

THE DAILY CONSTITUTION

ATLANTA:

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1873.

SUGAR CREEK PAPER MILLS
WM. McNAUGHT & CO.

See Daily and Weekly CONSTITUTION for specimen of our "news." mar11-ly

Redwine & Fox Have Kept it Up Since 1865.

To supply the trade with pure drugs, paints and oils. Of a consequence, when the people need a good article call on
july17-dtf REDWINE & FOX.

Carley, Buck & Co.!

Atlanta Branch Great Southern Oil and Paint Works, 49 & 51 Pryor street. Pure Leads, Lard, Linseed, and Burning Oils, Colors, Varnishes, Window-Glass, Lamps, etc., at Wholesale. Artists' materials, Crayons, Pencils, Canvass, Stretchers, Waters and Oil Colors, etc., a speciality. apr15-eodly

REMOVED.—Lochrey has moved his office for the receiving and delivery of work to East Hunter street, opposite to the Christian Church. He can now fill orders with better dispatch than before. When you want to *dye* go to Lochrey's. oct7-tf

OYSTERS AND FISH.—L. Cook has a full supply of Fish and Oysters, and will keep them through the season, on Whitehall street. oct 27-tf

The Seven Wonders of Atlanta.

1. The free mail delivery.
2. The Mineral Spring.
3. Uniformed Police.
4. The Magnificent Fire Department.
5. The New Iron Bridge.
6. The beauty of the ladies.
7. The greatest of all—how Ladies' Underwear can be sold so cheap at No. 45 Marietta street, opposite the Post Office. oct26-deodtf

CHRISTMAS! CHRISTMAS!

—AT—

B. W. BRISCOE'S JEWELRY STORE,

(Sharp's old stand,)

No. 34 WHITEHALL STREET, ATLANTA.

We offer to our customers this season a larger and greater variety of elegant goods than ever before, and will open and expose for sale on Monday the 22d inst., our whole stock, the greater portion purchased and received in the past ten days.

Our Jewelry Parlor, in the rear of the main store, which is the only one of its kind in the South, is completely packed with an endless variety of beautiful silver presents and fancy goods—some as low as two dollars and up to solid silver sets at six hundred dollars.

Our diamond, watch and jewelry stock has excited the admiration of hundreds of citizens, who have flocked to our store in the past ten days.

We extend a cordial invitation to all to visit our store before buying elsewhere, and be convinced that we offer the largest stock, greatest variety, most stylish and elegant goods, and lower prices than any Jewelry Store in the South. dec21-1w

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

INDEX TO NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.—Mayson & Norman will sell this morning a fine lot of toys, candies, etc.
"Investment" wants to hire from $1,000 to $2,500.
B W Wrenn has an 8-room house on Marietta street, to rent.
Ed A Werner has a house on Fair street, to rent.
Stephens & Flynn, sell the Rome nails.
See notice in Bankruptcy of Brittain Walford.
See notice in Bankruptcy of R B. Bridges.
See notice in Bankruptcy of P. M. Trimble.
See notice in Bankruptcy of F. H. Drewry.
See notice in Bankruptcy of B. L McGough.
Send in your advertisements to-day for the Christmas edition of THE CONSTITUTION.

The banks will be closed to-morrow.

"INVESTMENT" wants to hire from $1,000 to $2,500 for six to twelve months.

RIO COFFEE advanced in New York yesterday to 26½ to 27¼ in gold.

LAW & Co's store will be open until 10 o'clock, night before Christmas.

The proceedings of the East Point Jug Factory Company are crowded out.

THOMPSON received a very large bear yesterday. It will be served up for Christmas. Bear steak is delicious.

THE Furniture Emporium has a perfect gem for Christmas presents in the shape of elegant bureaus for little girls.

ENTERTAINMENT.—Do not forget the supper to be given to-night at the Skating Rink for the benefit of the First Mission Sabbath School.

PARTIES holding complimentary tickets to DeGive's Opera House to-night will be furnished with chairs if unprovided with other seats.

GATE CITY FIRE COMPANY have a grand ball and supper on the 5th of January. We predict a large attendance to see Dan dance.

B. W. WRENN offers for rent an eight-room residence on Marietta street. It is a commodious and comfortable dwelling.

ED. A. WERNER offers for rent a two story dwelling on Fair street, between Pryor and Loyd streets. It is cosy and conveniently located.

DR. ANGIER and Judge Hayden yesterday purchased a number of fine fowls, and will likely devote some attention to poultry-culture.

THE ladies of the First Methodist Episcopal Church and Sunday School will meet at the Church at three o'clock this afternoon, December 24, 1873, without fail.

THE sale of fine paintings at the Live Auction House of Mayson & Norman last night was well attended, and the pictures went off at fair prices.

THE BIGGEST SALE YET.—Messrs Phillips & Crew sold yesterday *five hundred* reserved seats to Joe Jefferson's performance to-night.

PHILLIPS & CREW are the most accommodating men in the city. They sell tickets to amusement and festivals *pro bono publico*, without commission. They do it to accommodate the public.

MAYSON & NORMAN continue the sale of toys, confectionery, candies, etc., this morning at ten o'clock. Don't lose the opportunity of getting a variety of Christmas presents cheap.

ST. PAUL'S Sunday School have a supper to-night in lieu of a Christmas tree. The members of the School and its friends are requested to meet at the Church at 7 P. M., sharp.

NAILS.—Stephens & Flynn are offering to the trade at low figures for cash, the celebrated Rome Nails. Those desiring supplies of this kind would do well to call and see Messrs. Stephens & Flynn.

IT is suggested that the Directors of the State Horticultural Society meet in this city on the 29th of January. It is an important society, and we trust to see a deeper interest stimulated in horticulture.

DOUGLASSVILLE LOTS.—Col. G. W. Adair, on Monday, sold ten acres of lots in the new town of Douglassville, 27 miles from Atlanta, at $150 per acre, or $1,500. This shows the great faith of the people in the completion of the Georgia Western railroad.

THOMPSON'S RESTAURANT.—The inundation of hungry eaters upon Thompson for his Christmas dainties must be very gratifying to him. Turkey and game of all sorts, venison, steaks, oysters and everything else are on hand in this first class restaurant.

LADIES who can furnish supplies for the Second Baptist Sunday School, will please send them to James' Hall by 10 o'clock Friday morning. No more required.

DAY & GLYNN in James' Bank Block will receive to day the finest lot of fish ever brought to Atlanta, oysters and game of all descriptions. Come and get your Christmas cheer.

BRISCOE'S JEWELRY STORE.—The handsome parlor store of B. W. Briscoe, is thronged with people to view the magnificent display of jewelry, watches, silverware, diamonds, etc. If you want real handsome Christmas presents, go to Briscoe's jewelry store.

THE GRAMMAR SCHOOLS.—The closing exercises in the several Grammar Schools yesterday gave evidence of general improvement in the several grades. Even the lowest grades stood the examination remarkably well, and evidenced the merit of the system over all others, to bring out all the intellectual powers, even from the dullest scholar.

A REGULAR meeting of Atlanta Lodge, No. 59, F. A. M., will be held Thursday night at 7 o'clock, sharp. Annual election for officers; also, other business of importance.
Every member earnestly requested to be present.
By order W. M.
JOHN R. GRAMBLING, Secretary pro tem.
dec24 wed-thur

IMPORTANT NOTICE.—The joint committee from the Chamber of Commerce and City Council is requested to meet promptly at No. 16, in the capitol building, at 9 o'clock this morning to wait upon the United States Senate Committee on Transportation.
B. W. FROBEL, Chairman.

THE COURTS.

Mistrial in the Bedell Case and the Jury Discharged—A. L. Harris Acquitted in Two Cases—Fulton Superior Court Adjourns until next Monday.

Fulton Superior Court.

Fulton Superior Court met yesterday morning at the usual hour, Judge John L. Hopkins, presiding.

The jury in the case of the State vs. A. L. Harris, felony, brought in a verdict of "Not Guilty," after being out about ten minutes.

The case of the State vs. W. D. Cook and A. L. Harris, cheating and swindling, in the Rolling Mill matter was taken up and after hearing evidence and argument was submitted to the jury. The jury returned a verdict of "not guilty" as to both of the defendants.

The jury in the Bedell case were dicharged at four o'clock after over one week's investigation of the case The jury stood seven for acquittal, three for manslaughter, and two undecided. This makes the second mistrial in the case.

The Grand Jury having found a true bill against Thrasher Kile, for assault with intent to murder, and the party assaulted being reported to be in a dying condition, he was required to give bond in the sum of $5,000. The man who was assaulted is A. M. Watts, whose skull was fractured near the Barracks several nights ago.

Judge Hopkins announced that Court would adjourn until next Monday. The dockets would be called in their order, commencing at the next case to the one just tried, the motion docket not losing its place by reason of not having been heretofore called.

Station House Report.

Six arrests last night—all "drunk and disorderly" cases.

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Advertisers should not fail to use THE CONSTITUTION for the holidays.

CARD OF THANKS.—The ladies engaged in the supper and festival for the benefit of the German Lutheran Church return their thanks to Dr. Wurm's brass and string band for their services, to the Turners for the use of their hall, to Mr Ripley for the use of China ware, to Mr. Lauten, confectioner, for carving, to the Atlanta papers for their liberality, and to the public in general for their liberal patronage.
THE COMMITTEE.

IT is related of a "gay and festive" youth, of this city, that, not long since, he engaged the services of a gentleman, who travels about with a hand-organ and monkey, to play for his lady love. The musician consented on condition that the youth would hold the monkey. The terms agreed upon, the musician went in. No sooner had he struck up a tune on his organ than the monkey chattered to get loose, and bit "ye unlucky youth." Afraid to cry out, for fear of being detected he grinned and bore it like a hero. Next day he wore one hand in a sling, and threw away the suit of clothes terribly rent in the difficulty. The monkey had a swelled neck and a bald head from the manipulations of the youth.

A PUBLIC CALAMITY.

The fire that caused the alarm to be sounded Monday night was the burning of Howell's factory, four miles from the city, on Peachtree street. Col. Clark Howell was engaged in putting up machinery in his mill, but had stopped for the Christmas holidays. The buildings and machinery were insured for $27,000. The loss will, perhaps, be covered by the insurance. We have been unable to ascertain the origin of the fire. The destruction of this cotton mill is a public calamity. Colonel Howell is one of our most energetic and enterprising citizens, and has done much to contribute to the material prosperity of this section. We are pleased to learn that Colonel Howell will rebuild at an early day.

TERRY'S WEATHER STRIPS, a perfect protection from wind, rain and cold. We apply them to doors and windows. S S. KENDRICK & SONS.

BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL.

Interesting Closing Exercises—Stirring Speech by Governor Brown, President of the Board of Education.

The closing exercises of the Boys' High School were very interesting. We were pleased to note the attendance of quite a number of our leading citizens yesterday.

The pupils were examined in the several branches of study yesterday. The teachers of the Girls' High School were present. Many questions were propounded by Miss E. E. Latimer and Miss C. Taylor, and answered very satisfactorily.

After the examination was concluded, the several classes met in the Hall below. Several of the boys declaimed, when Gov. Brown, President of the Board of Education was called for, and responded in one of his happiest veins. He spoke for about forty minutes, and enthused boys, audience and teachers. He portrayed the immense advantages afforded by the fine public school system of Atlanta, and urged upon the pupils of now fixing their minds upon some object. Good lawyers, doctors, clergymen, architects, mechanics, etc., were valuable additions to society. It was possible that they would select some one of these and they should now start with a determination to succeed. In the public schools of Atlanta an opportunity was afforded to every class in the community to educate their children, and there was no reason why any should not avail themselves of its benefits. Among the children in the Public Schools there might be many bright jewels from among the poorer classes who, by being brought in contact with the teachers and other pupils would brighten as the rays of the sun. If the people would visit the Public Schools they would become convinced of their advantages and benefits. The High Schools prepared its graduates to teach.

Speeches were made by representatives from each of the classes, and compositions read. The boys did well in their papers, their examination, their speeches and their compositions.

KINGDOM OF PRINCE MEPHISTOPHILES, HADES, December 23, 1873.

Greeting of Prince Mephistophiles to all his loyal subjects, and hereby takes this occasion to notify them that on Christmas day, the 25th inst., their grand one thousand and tenth parade will take place, and hereby orders them (having laid aside all business and pleasures for the time being), to be and appear in their full feather and armor, at their den, at nine and a half o'clock A. M., sharp, on Christmas day, it being the twelfth day before our Royal King, Rex, will make his grand entry in our glorious city. Prince Mephistophiles, fearing the great wrath of mighty King Rex, and wishing to highly please His Majesty, urges and commands his followers to be prompt to obey his mandates.

This done at the Kingdom of Prince Mephistophiles, and given under the Grand Seal of the Kingdom, this 23d day of December, 1873, and of our organization the one thousand and tenth.
VICE REGENT,
BEELZEBUB, Grand Scratchetary.

PERSONAL.—Col. W. R. Rankin, of Calhoun, was in the city yesterday.

Col Thomas P. Westmoreland left last night for South Carolina to spend his Christmas with the "old folks at home."

R. T. Pounds, of the Barnesville Gazette, was in the city yesterday, in good tune. The last seen of him he was wending his way down to the train with pounds of "Christmas doings" stowed away in his hat, pockets and boots, while his hands were full.

Senator Gordon has come home to spend Christmas.

Colonel Alston is home again.

The "Belle of Lexington" is in the city, and will be the cynosure of all eyes at DeGive's to-night.

Kirkwood's Queen of Hearts has returned from Middle Georgia.

The following were among the arrivals at the Kimball House last night: Joe Jefferson and his troupe; W G Lumpkin, of Athens; P H Raiford, St Marys; Hon Warren Akin and wife, Cartersville; G Alcibiades Ramspeck, Decatur; D E Butler, Clay-bank; J H Wilson, LaGrange; D J Proctor and wife; N B Proctor, Forsyth; J C Reed, Lexington, W R Boyd, Savannah.

The following were registered at the National last night: Rev J H De Votie, G L De Votie, Miss E A De Votie, Griffin; W J Doyle, West Point; Col W G McAdoo, Milledgeville; W W Barnes, Opelika; O R Longino, Palmetto; T K Mitchell, Lawrenceville; E F Best, Macon; Col Seaborn Jones, Rock Mart; J Bucephelas Johnson, Augusta; G W Gleaton, Conyers; J F Cheney, Crawford.

STABBED TO DEATH.

A "Trusty" Prisoner Stabbed to Death—The Murderer a Lad of Nineteen.

Mr. W. L. Clifton was sometime since brought up from Rutledge on a charge of Ku-Kluxism, and pleaded guilty in the United States District Court to assault on a negro. He was sentenced to imprisonment, but being considered a "trusty," was allowed "prison bounds." Yesterday morning, we learn that he accompanied a relative, who had two unbroke mules in town, beyond West End. Some three-fourths of a mile beyond West End, it is said, they met James Ratteree and a youth named Silvey, driving wood carts. The mules showing great aversion to passing the carts, Clifton asked the boys to turn their horses and carts to one side of the road. This they declined to do, whereupon Clifton seized one of the horses by the bridle to turn him aside. Ratteree at once stabbed Clifton in the left breast, between the second and third ribs, inflicting a mortal wound. Clifton was carried into a house near by. Drs. E. J Roach and W S Armstrong were sent for, and promptly rendered him all the attention possible.

Ratteree is between 18 and 19 years old, and Silvey is a youth of about 14. Silvey was arrested in the afternoon by C. C. Green, Deputy Sheriff.

At sundown Clifton was not dead, but it was feared that he could not live through the night.

Silvey and a brother of the murderer, who witnessed the killing, are in the Station House. Up to a late hour the murderer, James Ratteree, had not been arrested.

Senatorial Transportation Committee.

The Senatorial Transportation Committee arrived last night at half past eleven o'clock and took quarters at the Kimball House. The committe consist of William Windom, of Minnesota; Hannibal Hamlin, of Maine; John Sherman, of Ohio; Henry G. Davis, of West Virginia; J. Rodman West, of Louisiana; S. B. Conover, of Florida, and D. W. Gooch, of Massachusetts; J. R French, Sergeant-at-Arms; B Z. Bradley, Stenographer, and J. D. Kennedy, of Washington. Mrs. Hamlin and Mrs. Gooch are with the party Senator Hamlin is about 73, and a jovial fellow. Senator Windom is 46. The committee breakfast at 8½ o'clock this morning, and proceed at once to work.

JOHN T. HAGAN was on the Bedell jury for over a week. The loss of his personal services in his business for that time inflicted heavy loss upon him, for he possesses a great deal of vitality to the square inch. We hope that our readers will make up for the lost time by calling there to-day and getting their supplies and Christmas gifts.

"SOCIETY NEWS."—On the morning of the 23d instant at Norcross, Georgia, were celebrated the nuptials of Miss Elline Simmons, daughter of Hon. J. P Simmons, and Mr. D. J. Proctor, of Forsyth Georgia—Rev. J. S. Lawton officiating.

The quiet elegance of the occasion, together with the especial grace and loveliness of the bride are features not soon to be forgotten in the history of our little sister city; and though there is a sad void in the social circle we will say to the gallant, however disappointed young gentlemen, don't be disheartened, there are more and beautiful roses yet blooming in Norcross. We will not wish the young couple happiness—they are happy, may they never know sorrow.

In extending our heartiest congratulations to friend Proctor, we add that the society of Forsyth must feel complimented upon the accession of such a gem to her already recognized brilliancy.

List of Letters.

Gentlemen's advertised list of letters for the week ending December 23, 1873.

A

John J Alexander, J M Anderson, Capt John R Alston, John Anala, W R Allen, L B Adams.

B

Albert Beck, Eugene Black, Prof E A Brown, Richard Bassel, Richard Bell, S A Boon, George Bomer, Col George P Burnett, T G Bradley, T N Barrington, J Ras Bruce, J W Booker, Col Jas Bent.

C

A J Chivers, Benton Cook, D M Covington, Robert Clation, Randolph Coyle, Shepard Clark (col), Samuel Chamberlain, Henry R Chastine, I N Clark, John Calhoun, W H Condor (?), W T Colbert, L Cunbe, L Cowin.

D

Daniel Douglass, S H Davis, J O Dougherty, J F Dees, John R D yl, Larkin C Davis.

E

H F Everson, Thomas S Ekin, Mr Emmeth.

F

George S Fish.

G

C S Glover, G W Green, Thos Goffney, John H George.

H

L J Hill, Leo Houston, W S Hall, Jas Haughey, J Hood, G D Hinkle, J J Hade, G W Hul, Dr S Holland, Alexander Harrison, Augustus Holbrook.

I

Gen Alford Iverson, Mr Inglish, Rev Robt Irvine, DD.

J

Master Dolph Jones, John B Jones, John Jarrett.

K

Dave Kellum, (col)
Chas Lee, C S Lewis, Charlie Lord, E S Luckey, Geo J Lennox, Dr J B Lowe, Lane & Co.

M

A McGilvery, Rev B Manly, C W Mitchell, Ellis C Malsby, Frank McGee, Geo McLeer, Hon S T Moore, G M Maxwell, Henry McCowin, Thos McArthur, Jas C Milam, J A Morden, Wm Merrick.

N

Mr Nesbitt, James Newsom, John Nelms, Jesse Neely, John Nort, W F Nasworthy, Nickles & Co.

P

J T Perryman, W P Pittman, W P Pratt, A G Pool, Geo Percivall.

R

Robt Rome, (col,) W R Rease, S T Rowley.

S

F A Smith, Thos J Simmons, John H Steel, Julius Sprout.

T

Wm Trenner, Frank Tooly, F Thompson, Dr Thomas, A J Thompson, Anson Tiller.

V

V Varner, Ike H Vincent, Peter Vivsoon, A Van-Pelt.

W

Maurice Wilkerson, N O A Williams, B S Wilson, B F Wyman, B L Wilson, D J Wingard, E J Warlick, H M Williams, John D Wilson, Jas Wilson, Wm West, Dr Wm Wooten.

Ladies List.

A

Mrs Mary Askins.

B

Mrs R G Byers, Mrs Sue Branion, Mrs William Brooks, Mrs Mary Brannon, Mrs L Buckle, Miss Maggie Brazil, Miss Josephine Brown, Miss Lucy Barter, Miss Clara Boman.

H

Mrs Eliza Hughs, Mrs Jackson Harrington, Mrs J R Hill, Mrs J O Hunter, Mrs Sarah J Hins, Miss Hidda Holland, Miss Lou Ella Hanlsey, Miss Lucy Henderson, Miss Mollie Hart.

J

Mrs M F Jones, Mrs Sarah Jones, Mrs Eliza Johnson, Mrs Lou Johnson.

C

Mrs Atlanta Calhoun, Mrs A A Cater, Mrs R A Corbett, Miss Laura Crow, Miss Roxie Crawford.

D

Mrs Matilda Dasseng, Mrs Hepsy Dobbs, Mrs Emma Dunlap,

E

Mrs Ellen Edwards, Mrs Amanda Ely, Miss Elizabeth Epins.

F

Mrs Eugenia Fergerston.

K

Mrs Louner Kelly, Mrs Temple Kimbrough, Mrs R P Keith, Miss Mattie Kinley, Miss Jennie F Kennerdy, Miss Emelise Knight, Miss Annie Kent, Miss Mollie King.

L

Mrs E C Logan, Miss Hannah Landmun.

M

Mrs C Miller, Mrs Gussie McClintock, Mrs Mary Mygrants, Mrs Mary Jane Miller, Mrs Matilda Mutchcol, Miss S M Mooney, Miss Julia Martin, Miss Fannie McCay.

N

Mrs C J Neill, Mrs Lucinda Nichols, colored.

P

Mrs Bell Peat, Mrs W A Potts, Mrs Mary Paw, Mrs Lucy Phineze (col), Mrs Irene E Potts, Mrs Emmor Pool, Miss Kate Penson, Miss Emma F Parr, Miss Dora Polen (2).

O

Mrs Martha Osborne.

R

Mrs Thomas Rawlins, Mrs Mollie Ramyan, Mrs Lizzie Ruff, Miss Mary Rice, Miss Annie Ross, Miss Carrie Rayley, Miss Augusta Ragley.

S

Mrs B Spinner, Mrs F H Shuttle, Mrs Annie Scott, Mrs Annie Steverson (col,) Miss Carrie Smith, Miss Cora Smith, Miss Eliza Swing, Miss M J Shardon, Miss Millie Speer, Miss Mollie Stidwell.

V

Mrs Ann Vin (col.)

W

Mrs Nancy Wickmis, Mrs Julia Wilson, Mrs Fannie Whitney, Mrs Edna Walker, Miss Emma Wilson, Miss Martha E Webb, Miss Jennie Wood, Miss Nannie A Wilburn, Miss Amanda White.

Y

Mrs R M Young, Mrs Eliza Young.

Persons calling for any of the above will please say they are advertised.

Local and Business Notices.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS.

Don't wait for Santa Claus to bring you a Sewing Machine. All sensible wives and maidens will send their husbands and papas to 25 Marietta street to procure the Newly Improved Wheeler & Wilson Machine, light to run and noiseless; fit for heavy manufacturing as well as all family sewing. A more acceptable Christmas or New Year's Gift could not be imagined than this family blessing. dec23—dtf

NEW DRESS GOODS,

Such as Irish Poplins, Black and Colored Alpacas, Black Silks, Empress Cloths, and all other Fashionable Dress Goods, Shawls, Boulevard Skirts, can be found at late PANIC PRICES at the New York Store 18 Whitehall street.
dec21—sun-tues—wed

LEFT in the Ladies' Dressing Room at the Governor's Guards Ball, last night, a large Seal Ring. The finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving it at this office.
dec14—dtf

TO HUSBANDS AND WIVES!

If you want to buy a handsome Present for your dear one, go to the New York Store, 18 Whitehall street.
dec21—sun-tues-wed

SPLENDID STEEL ENGRAVINGS.—Beautiful steel engravings of General Stonewall Jackson and General R. E. Lee may be had at THE CONSTITUTION office at $5 per copy.

They were published under the auspices of the Virginia Lee Memorial Association.
dec11—dtf.

BARGAINS! BARGAINS! BARGAINS!

The Steinheimer Bros. at the New York Store, will offer, during this week, special inducements to purchasers in a full and complete line of Dry Goods, Boots, Shoes and Fancy Woolen Goods, Blankets, Cassimeres, Jeans and Kid Gloves.
dec21—sun-tues-wed

SPECIAL NOTICE TO PURCHASERS IN DRY GOODS.

The New York Store will sell a new line of Dress Goods at remarkable low prices for the Holidays.
dec21—sun tues-wed

BLANKETS can be bought cheaper at the New York Store than any other house in the city. dec21—sun-tues-wed

STEINHEIMER BROS. NEW YORK STORE will offer a new and complete line of Silk Jap Robes in every style and color, at astonishing low prices.
dec21—sun-tues-wed

ONLY TWO WEEKS MORE TO NEW YEAR
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OUR IMMENSE STOCK OF CLOTHING
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MUST BE SOLD.
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We are offering the greatest inducements in Fine Clothing ever offered in the city.
Give us a call.
M. & J. HIRSCH,
dec20—dtf Clothiers and Tailors.

IF you want a wedding suit made to order go to M. & J. HIRSCH,
dec20—dtf Fashionable Tailors.

KNOX'S Millinery and Variety Store still remains the favorite with the ladies, as they generally have exactly what they want and at very moderate prices. Knox has marked down his goods to prices which suit these times of scarcity of money. You will find a good assortment of the Fall shades of Sewing Silks. Also, all colors of Zephyr Worsteds, and he is constantly adding to his stock. Be sure and call at 30 Whitehall street.
nov2—dtf

A MANUAL OF HEALTH.—The edition for 1874 of the sterling medical annual known as Hostetter's Almanac is now ready, and may be obtained, free of cost, of druggists and general country dealers in all parts of the United States and British America, and indeed in every civilized portion of the Western Hemisphere. This Almanac has been issued regularly at the commencement every year for about one-fifth of a century. It combines with the soundest practical advice for the preservation and restoration of health, a large amount of interesting and amusing light reading, and the calendar, astronomical calculations, chronological items, etc., are prepared with great care, and will be found entirely accurate. The issue of Hostetter's Almanac for 1874 will probably be the largest edition of a medical work ever published in any country. The proprietors, Messrs. Hostetter & Smith, Pittsburgh, Pa., on receipt of a two cent stamp, will forward a copy by mail to any person who cannot procure one in his neighborhood.
dec24-deod1w&w1t.

CHAPPED HANDS, face, rough skin, pimples, ringworm, salt-rheum and other cutaneous affections cured, and the skin made soft and smooth, by using the Juniper Tar Soap, made by Caswell, Hazard & Co., New York. Be certain to get the Juniper Tar Soap, as there are many imitations made with common tar which are worthless.
dec 10-d4w.

JACKSON'S MAGIC BALSAM.—Thousands of the afflicted are trying it and finding relief.
sep10—dtf

SPECIAL NOTICES.

OBSTACLES TO MARRIAGE.—Happy Relief for Young Men from the effects of Errors and Abuses in early life. Manhood restored. Impediments to Marriage removed. New method of treatment. New and remarkable remedies. Books and Circular sent free, in sealed envelopes. Address, HOWARD ASSOCIATION, No. 2 South Ninth St., Philadelphia, Pa., an Institution having a high reputation for honorable conduct and professional skill.
oc 29-d&w3m

The New Wheeler & Wilson SEWING MACHINES Over 800,000 Now in Use.

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J. S. PURSLEY,
nov29-dtf General Agent, 23 Marietta street.

THE YANCY HOTEL,

BY MISS E. C. YANCY, LATE OF VIRGINIA

WOULD respectfully inform her numerous patrons of the Dougherty House, that she has recently purchased the Brick Hotel in Newnan, Georgia, (better known as the McDowell House,) where she would be pleased to see her old friends and the traveling public. She pledges herself that nothing will be left undone to make guests comfortable.
jan5-dtf Prof. Wm. WELLS, Clerk.

GEORGIA, Campbell County.

WHEREAS, K. B. Mobbs, guardian of the estates of V. R. Lee and M. E. Lee, minors, represents that he has fully discharged his said trust and prays for letters of dismission:

All persons concerned are hereby notified to file objections, if any exist, on or before the first Monday in February next, else letters dismissory will be granted the applicant.

Witness my official signature, December 19, 1873.
R. C. BEAVERS, Ordinary.
dec23w40d Printer's fee $5

MRS. E. M. STOVALL,

PROPRIETRESS OF THE

BARTOW HOUSE,

Cartersville, Georgia.

P. S. SHELMAN, Clerk.
dec—dtf

Thomaston Hotel,

Thomaston..............Georgia.

THE undersigned having taken charge of the above House, takes pleasure in announcing to the public generally that no effort will be spared to make it a first-class Hotel, and every effort will be made to give satisfaction to all who will favor him their patronage. Rates reasonable.

GRAPE VINES
—AND—
FRUIT TREES

SEND in your orders for Grape Vines, Grape Wood and Fruit Trees. We never had a better or finer assortment. Prices will be made to suit the hard times.
W. W. CLARK & CO.,
dec20—d1m Covington, Georgia.

WANTED.

A SITUATION as Teacher in a school or family by a young lady competent to teach the English branches; also French and Latin if desired; has had three years' experience. Address, stating terms, TEACHER,
dec16-d&w3t P. O. Box 5, Atlanta, Ga.

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JUST Received, for the Christmas Holidays, 300 gallons Sweet Apple Cider.

Send in Your Orders.

Also Imported Ale and Porter, and a large assortment of all kinds of Wines, Liquors and Cigars. A merry Christmas and a happy New Year to all.
dec 21-4t

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No. 96 Whitehall St.

IT is the finest piece of Mechanism in the world, so admitted by all of our great minds and the Press. Doors open from 10 A. M. until 10 P. M. Admission 25 cents; children under 12 years 15 cents.
dec19—d1w

THE HASKINS MACHINE CO

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Christmas Festival.

THE LADIES OF THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN Church Mission School, will give a Supper for the benefit of the Mission, on Christmas eve (Wednesday), at the Skating Rink. This Sabbath School is doing a good work, but is poor, and deserves all encouragement and assistance. Admission 50 cents. May none stay away who can spare that much to a good object. dec21-3t

TOP BUGGIES

OF every variety and price at
WOODRUFF & JOHNSON'S.
dec21—d1m

FOR RENT.

A NEW BRICK DWELLING, CONTAINING eight rooms, with water, gas and modern improvements, on Ivey street. Apply to
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HO! FOR CHRISTMAS.

John Lagomarsino.

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KEEPS on hand the finest assortment of Candies that can be found in the city. Call on me for your Christmas Candies. I have a large supply of FANCY CANDY, such as creams, walnuts, cream hickory nuts, cream Brazil nuts, cream hazle nuts, French nougat candy, cream dates, cream almonds, cocoanut drops, fresh chocolate drops, made every day. I put this candy up in boxes from one to five pounds. I also keep a full supply of

FOREIGN FRUITS.

Nuts, oranges, apples, etc. I sell as cheap as can be found in the city. Dont fail to give me a call for you Christmas Candies. Do not forget the place—No. 8 Whitehall street.
dec17-d1w

G. & S. SALOSHIN,

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RAILROAD BONDS AND STOCKS,
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800 bundles Iron Ties, will be closed out this month.
100 pieces Bagging.
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100,000 pounds Bacon and Bulk Meat
100 tierces New Lard. 200 buckets best Leaf Lard.
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2,500 bushels Feed and Seed Oats.
160,000 pounds Wheat Bran.
150 bales Timothy Hay
400 barrels Flour, very best brands, varying in price from $7 to $10 50 per barrel.
500 packages Tobacco—all grades.
75 bags Rio Coffee.
100 hogsheads, tierces and barrels Molasses to arrive 50 barrels New Orleans Syrup or Molasses, new crop.
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500 packages Yeast Powders, Fish, Soda, Soap, Candles, etc., etc Orders from prompt paying merchants will be filled at the lowest price

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dec 13 d2w

NOTICE TO TEACHERS.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the undersigned for a President, a Teacher of the Primary Department and a Music Teacher, to fill the remaining vacancies in the Faculty of the

CONYERS FEMALE COLLEGE,

until Saturday, the 27th inst., at 10 o'clock A. M., when the Board of Trustees will proceed by election to fill those places.

Applicants are requested to appear in person at the time appointed and present their credentials.
J. P. ROSSER,
Secretary of the Board of Trustees.
Conyers, Ga., December 13th, 1873.
dec 16 10d

A MERRY CHRISTMAS!
110 COME AND SEE THE LITTLE 110
ELEPHANT!
110 AT THE BOOK STORE 110
110 WHITEHALL STREET,
BEFORE HE IS SOLD
You will also see some nice BOOKS, which will suit you for presents for children and friends.
110 BOOK STORE. 110
dec20—deat,tues&wed

Important Announcement.

GEORGE H. WILLIAMSON, Gallatin, Tenn., Manager of the

"GREAT SOUTHERN SEED HOUSE,"

is prepared to do a heavy business in Garden and Flower Seed the coming season.

He offers Extra Inducements to the Trade, wholesale and Retail. Catalogues for 1874 are sent free to all. Try him once. dec 16—d1w

NOTICE.

THE GUARDIANS of the Children of the Col. Samuel M. .ne Street will hear something of importance by addressing GEORGE W. FARIES,
Darien, McIntosh county, Georgia.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

BY virtue of an order of the Court of Ordinary of Fayette county, Georgia, I will sell before the court house door in Fayetteville, Fayette county, Ga., on the first Tuesday in January next, between the legal hours of sale, two hundred two and a half acres of land lot No 170, in the 4th district of said county. Sold as the property of John I Whitaker, late of said county, deceased, for the benefit of the heirs and creditors of said deceased. Terms cash. This November 28, 1873.

MRS. BUSH'S

SPECIFIC CURE,

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For Scalds, Burns and Corns.

THIS great remedy, wherever introduced, has given universal satisfaction. In cases where it does not come up to representation, the money paid for it will be refunded. It never fails. Apply to
M. E. BUSH,
Jug Tavern, Walton county, Ga.
Colonel A. Louis Burge is the General Traveling Agent, for the State of Georgia.
dec13-4m

Extra Top Victorias.

THIS style of Carriage is becoming popular in the South, as it combines all the advantages of comfort with the latest styles of construction. The Top protects both seats, and may be folded back, making a very graceful Open Carriage. It is used for one or two horses, and the price moderate. Every planter in Georgia should call at WOODRUFF & JOHNSON'S Repository, Atlanta, and buy one.
dec9-d1m

Notice in Bankruptcy.

IN the District Court of the United States, Northern District of Georgia—in the matter of William Shadric, Bankrupt—in bankruptcy.

This is to give notice, once a week for three weeks, that I have been appointed Assignee of the estate of William Shadric, of Clayton county, in said District, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition, by the District Court, for said District.
GEORGE MANSFIELD, Assignee,
dec23 d1aw3w Jonesboro, Georgia

IN the District Court of the United States—Northern District of Georgia.—In the matter of Daniel P. Hill, a Bankrupt—In Bankruptcy.

This is to give notice, once a week for three weeks, that I have been appointed Assignee of the estate of Daniel P. Hill, of Fulton county, in said district, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt on his own petition by the District Court for said district. December 4, 1873.
E. F HOGE,
dec23 d1aw3w Assignee.

ATLANTA, GA., December 23, 1873.

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ATLANTA NATIONAL BANK

WILL BE HELD AT THEIR

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ON

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ORDINARY'S OFFICE, December 20, 1873.

REUBEN HERNDON has applied for exemption and setting apart and valuation of homestead, and I will pass upon the same at 11 o'clock A. M., on the first day of January, 1874, at my office.
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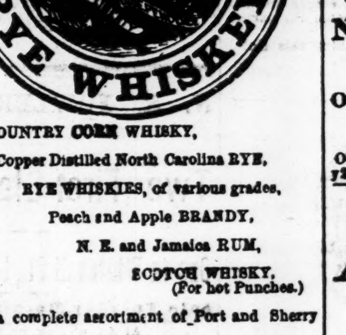

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This is to give notice once a week for three successive weeks that I have been appointed assignee of the estate of William Teasley, of Elberton, in the county of Elbert, who has been adjudged a bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court for said district. December 3, 1873.
R. M. HEARD, Assignee,
dec21-d1aw3w Elberton, Elbert co., Ga.

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—AT—

JAMES' HALL,

December 19, 1873.

PROGRAMME:

1. Overture—Crown Diamonds (Orchestra of 8 instruments) Auber
2. Boute en train—Galop Ketterer
3. Mendelssohnia—Violin Duet Rhizia
4. Angel's Serenade—Song with Violin Obligata Braga
5. Kanfuramis Cas-ius Taenze (Orchestra) Gung'l
6. Violin Solo DeBeriot
7. Lurline—Piano Solo Archer
8. Bird of the Mountain—Song with Violin Obligata Hubbard
9. Cuckoo and Cricket Polka (Orchestra) Herzog
10. Le Printemps d'Amour—Piano Solo Gottschalk
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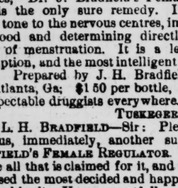

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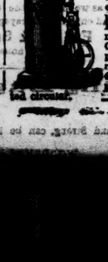

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